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JUDGE'S WIDOW TO MARRY SENATOR BLACKBURN

Mrs. Mary E. Blackburn, whose engagement to Senator Joe Blackburn of Kentucky is just announced, and whose wedding will take place quietly in Washington in the near future, is the widow of Judge H. H. Blackburn of Martinsburg, W. Va. Judge Blackburn was the law partner of Ward H. Lamon, President Lincoln's old associate and friend, and during his lifetime Mrs. Blackburn was one of the leaders of social life in the old State. Before marriage she was Miss McHenry of Maryland, the daughter of Robert McHenry, a noted lawyer. After her widowhood, about three years ago, she came to Washington and became the companion of her mother, who died a few months later. Mrs. Blackburn is a beautiful woman, possessed of great personal magnetism and grace of mind and body, and will easily take her place as one of the most popular women of the Senatorial circle.

NEWS—Summarized and Indexed.

THE WEATHER— TUESDAY, AUG. 13, 1901.

Fair and slightly warmer Tuesday; partly cloudy Wednesday, variable winds, mostly easterly.

Sun rises at 5:05; sets at 7:04. Moon rises at 4:24.

LOCAL:—

Resignation of the State Board of Dental Examiners requested by Governor Yates. Accused of corruption in the issue of licenses and diplomas to students.

Detective Tracy suspended by Chief O'Neill on the charge of receiving pay for work he never performed. Charges may be filed against others.

John Werner, who left his home of luxury in Kenosha to engage in menial work because of a lovers' quarrel, found drowned in the lake.

Peter Van Schaack returned from twelfth trip to Holland. Said Kruger is still hopeful of the outcome of the war in the Transvaal.

Albert J. Snell, son of Millionaire Snell, who was murdered, taken to the Detention Hospital suffering from alcoholic dementia.

Mrs. Stevenson, cousin of Dowie, ignored him in her will, leaving her $50,000 estate to husband.

Board of Review cut off $2,000,000 from the personal property valuation of the Board of Assesors.

Two Chicago banks adopted plan of weighing and sorting gold coins by electric machinery.

Crusade started by Mrs. Nellie Wilson to drive out disreputable saloons on the North Side.

F. L. Eastman, local freight agent of the Alton road, committed suicide.

DOMESTIC:—

Steamer Halifax, with 236 passengers aboard, beached on George's Island, in Benton Harbor, to prevent its sinking. Three tugs and two lighters helped remove passengers.

State Dairy Commissioner of Colorado offered to sacrifice his life if necessary to prove or disprove the correctness of Dr. Koch's theory about animal tuberculosis.

C. H. Payson called on Governor Yates at Springfield and explained how it happened he was sent to the Kansas penitentiary in 1880.

Samuel Verplanck, a wealthy resident of Fishkill Landing, N. Y., shot from ambush while riding and seriously wounded.

C. R. Linde, a Chicago architect, believed to be the victim of a murderer at Port Angeles, Wash.

Peter Nelson Oague, a farm hand near Deadwood, inherited $11,000,000 fortune in Denmark.

Private yacht Rhea wrecked in the Galoup Rapids in the St. Lawrence River and three drowned.

Divers at Vallejo, Cal., recovered $65,000 worth of the gold stolen by John Winters.

Buried chest containing $32,000 in Spanish gold found near Meriden, Miss.

Traces of oil discovered near Lawton, O. T.

WASHINGTON:—

Shortage of wheat crop in France expected to result in large increase in American exports, with a consequent advance in price of the grain.

Buenos Ayres placed under martial law as result of revolt caused by opposition to government "unification" bill.

Schley court of inquiry will not be abandoned because of Sampson's illness.

Admiral Crowninshield's plan for barracks at navy yards may be adopted.

Big increase in exports of breadstuffs shown by July shipments.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY:—

Stockholders of the Shelby Steel Tube company dissatisfied with the price received in sale to the steel trust.

National Transportation company organized at Syracuse, N. Y., to carry freight on great lakes.

Western, Southwestern, and Transcontinental Passenger associations may be consolidated.

LABOR:—

The total number of steel workers on strike is estimated at 59,000, the number quitting as the result of President Shaffer's latest order being 14,000. Workers at East St. Louis refused to strike.

Fifteen non-unionist machinists brought from the East to work in the Allis-Chalmers plant, deserted their tasks. Only two were skilled workmen, according to company officials.

South Chicago members of the Amalgamated asociation returned to work. Declined to discuss President Shaffer's criticism of their action.

New labor saving machine installed in Edgeworth & Son's stone yards wrecked by explosives.

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FOREIGN:—

Withdrawal of Colombian legation from Venezuela believed to indicate signs of trouble between the two countries. May be the prelude to war. United States representatives in Venezuela to look after Colombian interests.

State department informed by Mr. Rockhill at Pekin that the final draft of the Chinese protocal had been agreed upon by representatives of the powers.

Dr. A. F. Conroy of Chicago, who joined Boer hospital force, claims $35,000 from British government for losses incurred in the Transvaal war.

Richard Croker to return to New York at once to look after the political affairs of Tammany. Will probably sail on Aug. 17.

NEW YORK:—

Governor Odell took a hand in the police scandal by asking District Attorney and Justice Jerome to give him the details of the charges made against the police officials.

Government said to have been defrauded out of millions by collusion between custom-house officials and silk importers.

Charges against Herbert Saxton, Mrs. McKinley's nephew, may be made as result of row of revenue officials.

Appointments made by Appraiser Wakeman declared illegal by Civil Service board.

SPORTING:—

American league: Chicago 17, Cleveland 2; Milwaukee 6, Detroit 4; Boston 6, Philadelphia 0; Philadelphia 7, Boston 1.

Invader won the second race of the series with Cadillac for the Canada Cup. Favored by a light wind.

National league: St. Louis, 8; Cincinnati, 5.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
GLASGOW		Sardinian.
HAMBURG	Lake Ontario	Patricia.
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POLITICIANS HOLD A MEETING.

Secretary of State Rose and Others Attend a Secret Conference at the Grand Pacific Hotel.

A meeting was held in a room of the Grand Pacific Hotel last evening which was attended by State Secretary Rose, United States Marshal Hitch, Senator McCloud, and a number of others. The object of the meeting was kept a secret, but many rumors were current. One was that the gathering was in the interests of Senator Mason's candidacy.

SHIP IS BEACHED; HUNDREDS SAVED

Sinking Steamer with 236 Passengers Aboard Driven at Full Speed Fifty Minutes.

WINS RACE WITH DEATH.

Water Rapidly Climbing in Hold of Halifax When Bow Strikes Shore Near Boston.

ANOTHER VESSEL IS LOST.

Fourteen Sailors in an Open Boat Are Missing from Wrecked Barkentine—Yacht Sunk in Galoup Rapids.

THREE DARING MEN DROWNED.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Fifty minutes afloat on a steamer rapidly sinking was the experience of 236 passengers on the Halifax this morning. After the race with the water, which was gaining all the time, the vessel was beached, but slid back into the water, being practically submerged before the last person aboard was taken off.

Three tugs and two lighters aided in the work of rescue, the passengers being transferred from the wrecked vessel in the small boats. Although the Halifax was settling down into the water, the Captain kept the passengers aboard long after the vessel was beached, for fear of violating the immigrations laws.

Water Rushes Into the Hold.

The Halifax, which was bound from ports in the provinces for Boston, struck on a rock off Minot's Light at the entrance to Boston harbor at 6 o'clock this mornig. After striking the vessel floated off without assistance on the flood tide, and Captain Pye sent it ahead at full speed. The water was pouring through a great hole in the starboard side, and there were fears that the ship could not be kept afloat long enough to beach it, but the pumps, kept going at full pressure, enabled the vessel to keep up until it had been run on the beach off Fort Warren on George's Island.

In twenty minutes after the boat slid back off the ledge the water was ten feet deep in the hold.

Lifeboats Are Made Ready.

Captain Pye had his officers stationed so that the passengers were kept abaft the funnel on the starboard side, and the work of getting the lifeboats rigged out was promptly attended so.

As the minutes tediously passed the ship lost all the feelings of life, the trembling ceased, and the dull, lifeless motion of the craft told a mute story of rushing waters below. In less than half an hour the ship had made twelve feet of water, and this could be seen through the forward hatch as it swashed from one side of the hold to the other.

The ship was sinking in earnest. Women were rushing to get their effects, their husbands and brothers were securing vantage points near the lifeboats, and everybody was in a state of alarm.

Heads Vessel for the Shore.

The Captain, seeing it was useless to try further to keep his ship afloat began to look for a sandy spot along the shore to beach it. The opportunity arrived as the vessel neared Boston Light, and then he put his helm over and tried to head for shore.

The vessel had settled forward below the hawse holes, and the water fairly poured into the ship in big streams. The forward part of the steamer had settled so deep that it lost steerage way and headed into Black Rock Channel, but by good work he managed to get the vessel pointed for the beach at Fort Warren, and after a few vigorous churns of the propeller the steamer went upon the sandy beach.

Delays Landing of Passengers.

The passengers wanted to land at once, but the officers declared there was no need of haste, as the immigration officers must be notified.

The outgoing tide washed the forward part of the ship off the beach, and the vessel began to sink deeper into the water.

Seeing the danger to all aboard the Captain gave the order to lower the boats and muster the women at the davits.

Women and Children Go First.

The boats were manned quickly and three of them were filled with women and children. After they were taken to the lighters and tugs the male passengers were taken off, and then the seamen followed.

The bow of the Halifax disappeared beneath the water and the ship was badly listed to starboard, with the stern, propeller, and rudder sticking up in the air. The ship was sinking so fast that the forward deckhouse next disappeared, and when the last of the passengers had been removed the ship, as far aft as the funnel, was submerged.

Fourteen Men Are Missing.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 12.—The captain and part of the crew of the 2,000-ton barkentine Priscilla have landed at Cape Sable, reporting that the vessel struck a ledge off Baringtom last night. A boat containing fourteen men is missing. The Priscilla was bound from England for New York with a cargo of chalk.

Three Drowned in Rapids.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Charles White, James Whitney, and Edgar Lane were drowned in the Galoup Rapids this afternoon by the sinking of the private yacht Rhea. Whitney, who was the owner of the yacht, had as guests on board the boat Lane and White, Hugh Raney, the Misses Whitney, and the Misses McPherson.

On reaching the head of the Galoup Rapids the women and Mr. Raney disembarked and started to walk along the shore while the three men attempted to run the rapids with the yacht.

The boat had gone only a short distance when it suddenly capsized and disappeared, apparently having struck a rock. The boat has not been seen since and there is no chance of recovering the bodies until they rise to the surface or are swept down to calm water.

PUTS OUT DENTAL BOARD.

GOVERNOR YATES DEMANDS RESIGNATIONS FOR CAUSE.

United States Consul J. H. Worman Comes from Munich with Charges of Collusion in Issuing "Fake" Diplomas and Claims to Have Absolute Proof Against Certain Members and Two Colleges in Chicago—Secretary Smyser Offers an Explanation.

Charges of corruption in the issuing of licenses and diplomas influenced Governor Yates yesterday to demand the resignation of every member of the State Board of Dental Examiners. The charges were made by United States Consul James H. Worman, stationed at Munich, Bavaria.

While the Executive might have given most satisfactory reasons to himself for his action, his request to the members of the board for their resignations contained no hint of the cause. He simply stated that he desired an opportunity to appoint their successors, and urged the writing of their resignations as promptly as possible.

The action followed a conference between the Governor, Consul Worman, Dr. J. N. Crouse, head of the Dental Protective association, and G. V. Black, dean of the dental college of the Northwestern University. Mr. Worman, who is investigating the dental colleges of this country, urged the removal of the present board, it is said, at the suggestion of the United States Secretary of State in the hope that the work of gathering evidence against alleged "fake" diploma institutions would be simplified.

Members of the Board.

The members of the board whose resignations were requested are:

W. C. Joselyn of Cairo, President.
J. M. Smyser of Chicago, Secretary and Treasurer.
J. G. Reid, Chicago.
H. W. Pitner, Fairfield.
Clarence C. Corbett, Edwardsville.

United States Consul Worman came to Chicago on Sunday and went to the Auditorium Hotel. In his work abroad he had learned that hundreds of young men were attracted from Germany by advertisements offering diplomas on short terms and at small cost. He learned that some of these diplomas were bogus and protested to Governor Tanner, who requested him to come here and undertake the work of ferreting out the guilty institutions.

Unable at that time to undertake the duty Mr. Worman obtained photographs of many of the suspected diplomas and licenses and affidavits telling of the manner in which they were obtained. Then he was designated by Germany and the United States to take up the work in the hope of preserving the good reputation and name of American dentists. His first work here was to obtain the indorsement of the National Board of Dental Examiners, the National Board of Dental Faculties, the National Dental association, and the Dental Protective association, with a fund of $50,000 to press the investigation.

Claims to Have Perfect Proof.

"The absolute proof of the issuance of illegal diplomas and licenses by the Illinois State board is in my possession," said Mr. Worman. "I know of institutions that have made a practice of issuing these fake documents, but neither their names nor the names of the men who have done the work are to be found in the Chicago directory.

"The work of these institutions has gone far towards discrediting the American dentist abroad. Ordinarily he has stood at the top of his profession in Europe, but these spurious diplomas have had a depressing effect. I believe that some of the members of the present board are innocent of wrong doing, but I am positive that others have known of it, and have taken part in it. Former dental boards also have been guilty of the same methods."

Although Mr. Warman is chary of making direct charges against individual members of the board, he intimates that legal proceedings will be instituted against at least three of them. He also names two dental schools in Chicago which, he declares, have brought young men from Germany to this country and for a consideration have furnished them certificates.

MILLIONS ARE LOST TO GOVERNMENT BY FRAUD.

Astounding Crookedness Said to Have Been Discovered in Customs Department in New York City.

New York, Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Bold frauds upon the customs service, which, for extent and magnitude, have never been equaled, were disclosed today as a result of complaints that invoices of silk had been held up unduly by the Appraiser of the Port.

Through collusion between importers and employés in the customs service it is said that the Treasury department has been defrauded of duties amounting to millions of dollars.

One invoice, which had been entered in such a manner that upon its face the amount of duty due to the government was $44,000, was estimated by the expert appraisers to be worth enough to bring the actual amount due the Treasury from the importer up to $80,000.

LABOR-SAVING MACHINE WRECKED BY EXPLOSIVES.

Stone Smoother at South Side Plant Is Blown Up and Malice Is Alleged to Be the Cause.

A smoothing machine used at Edgeworth & Sons' stone yards at Twenty-seventh street and Stewart avenue was wrecked early yesterday morning by explosives ignited, it is affirmed, by discharged workmen formerly employed at the yards. The damage to the huge machine, which is valued at $4,000, is estimated by the owners at $2,200. The machine, which is built in the nature of a huge plane and is used for smoothing stone, was recently purchased by the firm. Before this time manual labor was used in smoothing stone, but when the machine was put in operation it was found that the services of a number of workmen at the yards could be dispensed with. Many of these have been heard to make threats, and these will be under surveillance.

BOYS' PRANKS CAUSE OF FIGHT.

Lawyer Sues a Commission Merchant for $20,000 Damages for Assault and Battery.

Joseph B. Longworthy, a lawyer with offices in the Ashland Block, was assaulted by David R. Steffey, 164 South Water street, he alleges, and seriously hurt. The men were disputing concerning the pranks of two of Mr. Steffey's sons, Mr. Longworthy being indignant in his reproaches against the boys. Suit was filed in the Circuit Court yesterday, and the declaration states that Mr. Steffey, in addition to his fists, used a pocket knife and cut his opponent. For this assault $20,000 damages are asked, and in addition an action has been begun before Justice Mahoney, where a warrant was sworn out for the arrest of Mr. Steffey.

WILL RISK LIFE TO AID SCIENCE.

Colorado Man Willing to Be Infected with the Germs of Animal Tuberculosis.

SAYS DR. KOCH IS RIGHT.

Only Asks an Annuity for His Family if the Experiment Kills Him.

DOCTORS CALL IT SUICIDE.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—T. L. Monson, State Dairy Commissioner of Colorado, offers to sacrifice his life, if need be, to prove or disprove the correctness of Dr. Koch's latest theory, that animal tuberculosis is not communicable to human beings.

There are physicians in Denver who would rather be shot at close range than do what Monson offers to do. Scientists assert that Monson will practically commit suicide if his offer is accepted and he carries it out in good faith.

Mr. Monson, who is in robust health, is fully aware that he offers to risk his life to test an unproved theory, but he is in earnest.

Says Some One Must Risk It.

He declares that some one must make the sacrifice in the interests of humanity. His offer is as follows:

"Firmly believing in Dr. Koch's latest theory that animal tuberculosis is not communicable to human beings I am willing, providing a suitable annuity is provided for my family, to offer myself as a test of the theory.

"If proper provisions are made I will either eat or allow in any manner whatsoever tuberculosis germs to be introduced into my body, providing such germs are all taken from cattle or other animals.

"This offer is made in all sincerity and is instigated by a bona fide desire to test a valuable theory and by my firm belief that Dr. Koch is right."

Dairy Commissioner Monson has been attracted by the dissenting doctors, who say that Dr. Koch may or may not be right, but that there is no possibility of making an experiment. Their belief is that the eminent German savant ran no risk of damaging his reputation because it would always be impossible to get a human being on which to test his theory.

Wants Annuity for Family.

In order to show that he is in earnest Commissioner Monson goes into practical details. He has given the matter considerable thought, and his proposal was not announced without premeditation. Discussing his offer tonight, he said:

"If citizens or scientists interested in the prevention of contagion will provide a sum of $25,000 to create an annuity for my family in case my experiment terminates fatally I shall be willing to subject myself to any test or tests with animal tuberculosis germs which they may prescribe.

"I would not add the money requirement were it not for the fact that I feel it is my duty to make some provision for my family in case of my death."

Does Not Consult Family.

While Mr. Monson did not inform any member of his family of his intention to make his startling proposition, he says now that it is has been made he will not allow any persuasions to interfere with the carrying out of his part of the experiment, providing it is accepted. He does not minimize the risk, but he says the man who proves the correctness of Dr. Koch's theory will contribute much to scientific information concerning one of the most deadly disease foes of humanity.

Mr. Monson has for some time been engaged in a fight with the local Board of Health over the question of inoculating cows with serum as a preventive of tuberculosis. He is himself a dairyman.

SEEK A CHICAGO COUPLE FOR ELOPEMENT AND THEFT.

Deputy Sheriff Morrison Just Misses Pair at the Pan-American Town and Follows Them to Erie, Pa.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—A young woman whom the police of Chicago are anxious to interview was in Buffalo yesterday morning, and is expected to return on Tuesday evening, unless Deputy Sheriff Thomas V. Morrison of Chicago finds her in Erie, Pa., where she went last night with her escort. She is, or was, Mary A. Rixon, and after falling in love with William T. Clifford of Harvey, Ill., she left her home in Roseland, it is said, and came East with him. At the same time there disappeared, it is charged, her mother's collection of jewels worth $3,000 and about $1,900 in money.

While Mrs. Rixon is anxious for the return of her daughter, she also seeks the recovery of the valuables. The daughter and Clifford were in Buffalo yesterday morning. Deputy Sheriff Morrison came in on the next train and they must have been apprised of his arrival, as they left for Erie, where Clifford has friends. Morrison followed them.

Miss Rixon was a teacher in the public schools, it is said, and met Clifford when he was a School board employé.

RAGTIME OUT OF DATE IN CHICAGO, SAYS HAND.

Professor Points to Requests for Classical Music in Lincoln Park, and Declares That the World Moves.

A long step in the development of a better musical taste has been taken by the public of Chicago, according to Professor Hand. He sees this indication in the fact that he has been asked to close the park concerts by giving three programs in Lincoln Park containing as many classical numbers as he chooses to play. The popularity of the concert last Sunday, which contained selections from "Faust," "Tannhäuser," etc., he says also proves his point.

"I think the park board is convinced," said Professor Hand, "that the people want good music and not coon songs all the time."

Several years ago Professor Hand made loud objections to playing more popular and less classical music.

TOMB ENDS LIFE MYSTERY

MAN MISSED FROM KENOSHA FOR YEARS FOUND IN CHICAGO.

Lovers' Quarrel Impels John Werner to Leave Home of Luxury and Perform Menial Work for a Decade, Alone and Unknown—Advertisements and Search in Vain—Then Dog Drags the Body from Lake and Insurance Policy Identifies It.

One of the greatest mysteries that ever puzzled the people of Kenosha, Wis., was solved by the big Newfoundland dog that dragged the body of John Werner from the lake at the foot of Twenty-ninth street on Sunday.

Werner was a son of Peter Werner, one of the best known citizens of the Wisconsin city, but the romance that had played an important part in his life had been broken by a lovers' quarrel, and he left Kenosha fourteen years ago, declaring that he would never return. He kept his word until last evening, when a pine box took back to the Werner home the body of the son who had been missing for so many years. All this time he had lived within fifty miles of his native town doing the menial duties of a janitor, living alone, with none caring for his comings and goings.

Searched for Years in Vain.

For years the Werner family had been searching for him. Three years ago the father, Peter Werner, died, and at the time conspicuous notices of his death were published, but none of them touched the heart of the boy and his aged mother waited in vain for some message of sympathy. The father left an estate, and when the heirs sought to settle it in the courts advertisements were placed in the papers in all parts of the country asking for some trace of John Werner; but if he saw the notices he was dumb to the appeal and never wrote.

For years the mother of the missing one had planned for his home-coming, and when it was discovered yesterday morning that the boy had been drowned the old woman was sent into the country and no one dared to tell her of the sorrow which had been thrust upon her.

Friends at First Doubt News.

While Werner had resided in Chicago for more than ten years he had concealed his identity, and when the news of his death was received in Kenosha his friends refused to believe it, as they had supposed him dead for a decade.

The insurance policy, which was all that was left to identify the body, has been turned over to his brothers. The interment will be in the Werner plat in St. George's Cemetery, Kenosha, today.

RICH MAN, WIFE, AND GUEST ARE SHOT WHILE DRIVING.

Samuel Verplanck Seriously and Women with Him Slightly Wounded from Ambush Near Fishkill Landing.

Newburg, N. Y., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Samuel Verplanck of Matteawan was shot from ambush this evening while driving. His wife and Mrs. Rankin of Newburg, who were with him, were also slightly injured. Mr. Verplanck is one of the wealthiest men of Dutchess County. His wife, Katherine Wolcott Verplanck, is State Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution for New York.

After dinner tonight Mr. and Mrs. Verplanck, Mrs. Rankin, the Rev. J. Howard Suydam of Rhinebed and wife, their guests; and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Verplanck went out for a drive to one of Mr. Verplanck's farms above Matteawan. At 7 o'clock they began their homeward drive. When going through the stretch of woods a shot was heard. Mr. Verplanck cried out: "I'm shot," and reeled.

Mrs. Verplanck also found one of the shot had grazed her neck. A shot had also grazed Mrs. Rankin's nose.

Grasping the reins and supporting her husband, Mrs. Verplanck drove to her home. Mr. Verplanck, weakened much from loss of blood, was carried to his room. It is feared tonight the shot has pierced his lung.

The spot where the shooting occurred is in proximity to a number of brick yards, which employ many men. Some of these are desperate characters, and there have been a number of highway robberies there recently. Both Mr. and Mrs. Verplanck were known to carry large sums of money.

CHICAGO RAILWAY OFFICIAL TAKES LIFE WITH PISTOL.

Frederick L. Eastman, for Nineteen Years Local Freight Agent of the Chicago and Alton, Shoots Himself.

Frederick L. Eastman, formerly a prominent railway man, committed suicide last night at the residence of his daughter at 2051 West Adams street.

Mr. Eastman was determined to die. Early in the evening, the police say, he went to his room and tried to end his life by asphyxiation. He was found and revived. Two hours later he shot himself over the heart and died.

Alarmed by the revolver shot, members of the family ran to his room. He was past help.

From 1880 until 1900 Mr. Eastman was local freight agent of the Chicago and Alton railway. Recently he resigned from the road and at times seemed despondent. Business cares are thought to have caused his suicide.

Dr. F. H. Stafford, Mr. Eastman's son-in-law, said that he was mystified at the cause of the suicide. Mr. Eastman has apparently been in good health and good spirits and his act was a surprise to his friends.

Mrs. Eastman and her daughter, Mrs. Stafford, are visiting at a summer resort. They were notified early this morning of Mr. Eastman's death.

The attempt made last evening by Theodore Marks, recently of St. Louis, to end his life in the middle of the Van Buren street tunnel has many strange incidents connected with it. Marks was found later lying close to the wall outside the west-bound tracks. A note left by him indicates that a love affair is at the bottom of the tragedy, but the police are unable to find the girl, although a note gave her name and a clew as to her residence.

RESCUE THREE FROM A FIRE.

Policemen Then Have to Struggle to Keep a Woman from Re-entering House to Secure Her Money.

After carrying three persons from a burning dwelling at the rear of 15 Eldridge court last night, Officers Rooney, Niland, and Tormey of the Harrison Street Police, had to concentrate their attention on one of them to prevent her return to the buiding to recover a trunk in which she had a sum of money.

The woman had been a cripple for a long time, and for some time had been unable to walk. Under the excitement of the fire and the fear for the loss of her money she recovered the use of her legs. Her money was saved

STEEL STRIKERS ANGRY AT WEST.

Giant Corporation Shows the Greater Strength in First Day of Big Struggle.

UNION NOT DISCOURAGED.

Chicago and Other Men Who Stay Are Denounced for Refusing to Quit and Motive Is Suspected.

FULL INQUIRY DEMANDED.

Only 14,000 Workers Join Ranks of the Idle in East, but Leaders Say Surprises Will Come Later in Week.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS IS ISSUED.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—The first full working day since the general strike order issued to the steel men by President Shaffer became effective, closed with the big combine claiming victory. Its display of strength today was greater than expected. The strike leaders insist, however, that their progress is satisfactory and that they have some surprises to spring.

It is estimated that 14,000 men quit work as a result of the latest order. This, with the 45,000 already out, makes a total of 59,000 on strike. The action of the men at Chicago, Bay View, and Joliet is held in part to blame for the small number added to the list of idle, and harsh words were used today regarding men in the West. The strike leaders make no secret of their disappointment.

East St. Louis Men Stay In.

Word was received tonight that the 800 Amalgamated association workers in the steel plant at East St. Louis, Ill., refused to join the strike. Instead they offered to contribute 15 per cent of their wages to the association.

The steel corporation succeeded today in opening a number of mills which have been shut down since the beginning of the struggle, but other plants heretofore in operation were closed by the men. However, the balance was against the strikers. Five hundred union men in the Riverside mills at Wheeling, W. Va., refused to strike.

Not a man quit work at the Scottdale and Old Meadow mills at Scottdale or the Lorain (O.) plant of the steel combine.

Strikers Appeal for Funds.

An appeal for aid—financial and moral—was issued today by the officers of the Amalgamated association. The appeal is addressed to members of all labor organizations and to the public at large. It is declared by the strikers that popular sympathy is with them in the struggle and that defeat now would mean the doom of unions in their fights with capital.

A second appeal was issued, addressed to local lodges, urging men at work to give liberally to the cause, and suggesting that such financial aid could be secured if the newspapers were induced to start popular subscriptions. The men are asked to turn their energies in this direction.

So far no serious clash has occurred between the strikers and the non-union men. At several points trouble has seemed imminent, but wiser counsel prevailed and outbreaks were averted. Feeling runs high, however, and the authorities and union officials are on the alert and will prevent rioting if possible.

Angry at Western Workers.

The Executive committee of the association probably will make an exhaustive investigation of the action taken by the lodges at South Chicago, Bay View, and Joliet in refusing to make the strike. President Shaffer has been urged to go West and investigate the matter personally, but it is unlikely that he will be able to spare the time for the present.

A radical element in the local lodges bitterly denounces the Western members and insists that there was something irregular about the matter. Others intimate that influences that would not bear investigation were used on the men. It is claimed that a canvass made a week ago showed a majority in favor of striking and that no reasonable explanation of the change of front has been made.

President Shaffer refrains from any direct criticism of the act of the Western men, but it is known he deeply regrets the loss of their support. He says he will await official reports before acting and that he can do nothing until he returns from Wheeling. He is to be accompanied to Wheeling by the Rev. Charles H. Fitzwilliams of Atlantic City, who will also address the strikers. The two were close friends when the strike leader was in the ministry.

Shaffer Defends Davis.

President Shaffer in a brief statement made at noon said:

"We have no official information about the situation in the West. I do not believe Vice President Davis of Chicago has accepted a superintendency from the trust, as reported. My only regret is that some men working in the slave pens of the trust had not spirit enough to come out and join the strikers. I will not take any part in calling out the American Federation of Labor. Its action must be voluntary. The Amalgamated has not lost anything, but has made gains."

Secretary Williams said:

"I think the greatest surprise of the strike will come to the steel officials when they find we have invaded the Carnegie plant. We have reliable reports to the effect that the lower city mill is tied up and that only one mill in the upper mill is on. We have not made known our plans and still have some surprises for the manufacturers."

Boys Cripple a Big Plant.

Two hundred and fifty butt welding helpers tonight came out and crippled the great butt-welding department of the National Tube works at McKeesport. The strikers are nearly all boys under 18. Fully 2,000 men will be forced to quit work and the entire department, consisting of 4,800, is expected to be idle.

The boys came out against the wishes of the Amalgamated officials and Organizer Stewart Sharp tried in vain to persuade the boys to go back. The young fellows are turbulent and it was their strike that began

the great strike and riots of 1894.

The association officers assert that they have gained a foothold in the Carnegie mills in this city, and at the time desired the men will come out. They are pressing their advantages at McKeesport and Wheeling, and their organizers are still at work in those two cities.

Corporation Officials Confident.

The men who are directing the fight in the field for the steel corporation and its constituent companies would give no idnication of their plans for the future and would only discuss the situation generally. A statement alleged to have been given out officially by them at noon was repudiated later in the day. Their reports showed that the Carnegie group, South Chicago, Bay View, Joliet, Youngstown, Columbus, the Riskiminetas Valley group, Wellsville, and Monessen, were moving along full handed. Bellaire, their advices showed, was badly crippled, but had held on until 5 o'clock in the afternoon and would be started up again tomorrow.

The corporation agents admitted the loss today of the National rolling mill at McKeesport, which they had expected to hold, and that the Boston mill and Monongahela steel works at McKeesport and the Republic and Elba here were tied up. Their tube-workers at McKeesport and here were still at work, but were menaced by a possible shortage of material. Their tube men at Wheeling were out, but the furnace and coke men there were at work and their steel men there showed an inclination to stay on unless intimidated.

Want Non-Union Labor Protected.

The corporation's agents also claimed that many of their men at McKeesport desired to work, but were being terrorized by the disorderly element. They also charged that many men were being frightened from their places at Wheeling, and insisted that adequate protection for these men would insure continued operations.

It was also stated by the steel officials that Clark's mill here was moving along with its non-union crews, engaged last week, and that another mill manned by old Amalgamated men had started up at Wellsville, representing a gain of one there since Saturday.

Clash with McKeesport Mayor.

Officials of the National Tube company and Mayor Black of McKeesport clashed today over the question of protection for non-strikers and property. A large crowd of strikers assembled around the works this morning and their pickets intercepted tube workers on their way to the mills. There was some excitement, and the mill officers, claiming that their men were being threatened and in danger of violence, called on Mayor Black to clear the streets and protect them.

The Mayor said he would only interfere to stop actual rioting and assault. Two other appeals were made to him later, but he insisted that there was no danger of an outbreak.

Two men who claimed that they were seeking work were ordered out of McKeesport as suspicious characters today. They insisted that they were not vagrants, but had come to town to work, but the police decided that they must leave.

Trouble Feared at Wheeling.

Reports from Wheeling and Bellaire indicate that there may be trouble there. At the latter place an attempt is to be made to keep the plant in operation, and the mill officials say that if they or the men who did not go out are interfered with they will ask for State militia to protect them.

At Wheeling reports that men were to be imported have brought out crowds bent on preventing their admission, and it is predicted that there will be serious clashes there before the strike is settled.

At Niles, O., this afternoon an angry crowd of tin mill men surrounded the train from Lisbon. But for the prompt action of the police five men would have been mobbed.

The strikers at Canal Dover, O., have had been watching the mills since 2 o'clock this morning on the strength of a report that non-union workers were to be brought there. Superintendent Harris of the tin mill has notified the men that unless the plant is reopened within a reasonable time he has orders to commence dismantling it. Manager Warner of the sheet mill has made the same announcement to the men who went out of his service.

OHIO TO INVOKE TRUST LAW.

Action Will Be Commenced by the State Authorities Against the United States Steel Corporation.

Columbus, O., Aug. 12.—It was learned today that Attorney General Sheets will bring suit against the United States Steel corporation under the Valentine trust law, regardless of any steps the company may take to comply with the law governing foreign corporations doing business in the State.

The Attorney General declined to make public the plan of action agreed upon. It was stated at the office of the Secretary of State, however, that notices would be sent to the United States Steel corporation not later than Thursday calling attention to the fact that it has failed to comply with the law requiring foreign corporations to file certain reports with the State officers and to pay the tax of one-tenth of 1 per cent on the proportion of its capital stock used in Ohio.

It is believed that the reply to this notice will be referred to the Attorney General and that it will be used as the basis for action.

The Attorney General stated today he was acting in full accord with the Secretary of State in the matter and that all reports that they were pursuing different lines of action were unfounded. It is said the suit against the United States Steel corporation will be similar to the one filed against the Standard Oil trust by Attorney General Watson some years ago.

See Hope in Legal Action.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—The joint committee of the American Anti-Trust league and District Assembly No. 66 of the Knights of Labor held another meeting tonight to consider the question of bringing legal action against the United States Steel company. The members say they are satisfied, after conferences by telegraph and by letter with Frank S. Monnett of Ohio and with local attorneys, that there is ample evidence available for a successful issue against the corporation. A special committee will be appointed to present the matter to Attorney General Knox with a plea that he institute proceedings against the trust under the Sherman act. If these efforts fail, recourse will be had to mandamus or other proceedings to attain the object sought.

ONE TAMPA STRIKER ESCAPES.

Secretary Padill of Cigarmakers' Union Reaches Havana and Promises Aid to His Fellows.

Tampa, Fla., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Officials of La Resistencia, the striking cigarmakers' union, received assurances tonight from Havana that J. O. Padill, secretary of the union, who escaped the kidnapers, is in that city, and that he has arranged with the cigarmakers there to donate 15 per cent of their weekly wages to the assistance of the strikers here.

The news was received with great elation. Supplies are getting short with the strikers. Two of the soup-houses had to be closed today, and landlords are evicting cigarmaker tenants who fail to meet rent payments. But for this assistance from Havana the men would probably have been forced back to work in a few days.

Manufacturers are manifestly increasing impatience, and altogether the industry here is in a precarious condition.

After the deportations 2,000 strikers registered their desire to leave the city, and an agent was sent to Havana to secure a vessel. The boat was to have been here Saturday, but has not arrived. An indignation meeting was held by them tonight on the supposition that they have been deceived by new leaders.

Cotton Mills to Cut Wages.

Fall River, Mass., Aug. 12.—The Fall River cotton manufacturers, the owning voted to reduce wages 10 a basis of 17 cents for weaving, the reduction to go into effect on Sept. 3. This is about a 14 per cent cut, the present price of weaving being 19.8 cents.

MAN WHO STOLE $280,000 IN GOLD BARS.

JOHN WINTLES alias "BUCK TAYLOR"

WORKERS TAKE UP TASKS.

LABOR AT SOUTH CHICAGO STEEL MILLS RESUMED QUIETLY.

Artisans Who Voted So Decisively Against the Strike Order Given Out by President Shaffer Return to Their Benches Without Demonstration—Leaders State That a Visit from the National Officers Would Have Little Effect.

The South Chicago members of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel, and Tin Workers, who voted so decisively on Sunday not to strike, returned to work in the mills of the Illinois Steel company yesterday morning. There was no demonstration on their part, and none was made by the thousand other workmen who went on the same shift with them. A few sharp comments by other workmen on the action of the men in refusing to aid the association were received quietly and passed with brief replies.

When word reached the men that President Shaffer had severely criticised them for refusing to obey his order to strike they declined to discuss it. District Deputy Vice President Fred Fair said if the national President were here and situated as the Western workmen are he would have acted as they did.

Deems Shaffer at Fault.

"President Shaffer does not understand conditions here," said Mr. Fair. "If he did he would not be so outspoken in his criticism of our lodges. When he says the steel workers of the West are not loyal and have no conception of the duties of a union workman he simply expresses an opinion from his standpoint. We are perfectly satisfied with our action, and when it comes to the obligation we owe to the union we are probably as capable of judging for ourselves what is due the union and what to our employers.

"The coming of the national officers to South Chicago would have no effect on the situation. In the first place, we do not expect them. Second, if they came the men undoubtedly would refuse to vote again on the question. They have decided quietly, soberly, and conscientiously on what they will do, and they will not be turned from it."

Declines to Estimate Funds.

Mr. Fair declined to say what the unions would do towards increasing the offer of financial aid to the striking Easterners. He said he did not know, in the first place, as it had not been considered beyond the 5 per cent per week already voted.

A report prevalent in South Chicago yesterday that several of the men who had cast dissenting ballots to the 80 per cent majority in favor of continuing at their work would refuse to return to the plant, was disproved last evening when the last of the three shifts of men entered the main gate at 10 p. m. None of the men was missing and the gatekeepers reported that the full complement had entered.

The general sentiment in South Chicago is that the strike, so far as the mills there are concerned, has been settled. It is believed by the merchants that no influence from the national officers or any other source could force the men to rescind their action.

Davis Talks at Joliet.

District Vice President W. C. Davis went to Joliet yesterday to remain there during the taking of the vote on whether or not the four unions will strike. That vote will be completed and canvassed tomorrow.

During the afternoon Mr. Davis addressed the striking tin plate workers. He was given a warm welcome by the members of Swansea lodge. He referred briefly to the strike question, expressing the hope that the men would win. The action of the other lodges in refusing to go out was not discussed, and Mr. Davis declined to express any opinion on their action.

Says Trip Is Unimportant.

"My visit to Joliet," he said, "was simply to meet the men of Swansea lodge. They have been out on a strike now over two weeks, and in that time no national officer of the Amalgamated association has been near them. They sent me an invitation to visit them, and I came."

Joliet members of the Amalgamated association and of other unions are greatly stirred up over the report that the Retail Grocers' association had decided to refuse credit to the mill men in Joliet in case of a strike.

F. P. Sargent of Peoria, Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen; P. H. Morrisey, Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen; and A. B. Garretson, Assistant Grand Master of the Order of Railroad Conductors, were at the Sherman House yesterday morning by appointment. The object of the conference is unknown, but it is presumed they came to discuss the attitude the three powerful organizations should assume in the strike of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel, and Tin Workers.

BOYS REPORT KILLING TIGER NEAR KANKAKEE.

Two Youths Declare They Came Upon the Animal While Hunting Plover and Shot It—Quarrel Over Skin.

Kankakee, Ill., Aug. 11.—[Special.] — Joe Gregoire, 17 years old, and Joseph Le Brun Jr., about the same age, claim to have killed a six-foot tiger on a small island in the Kankakee River, five miles from this city. The boys started plover shooting last evening and rowed to the island, where they saw an animal lying in the grass close to the water's edge. Gregoire says he and his companions quarreled over the skin. Gregoire returned to camp, and when he went back to the island the beast's carcass had disappeared.

QUIT A PICKETED PLANT.

MACHINISTS IMPORTED FOR ALLIS-CHALMERS CO. DESERT.

Workers State That They Came West on False Representations, and Finding Pickets So Closely Drawn, Refused to Continue—Employers Affirm That None of the Men Knows Anything About the Craft and Were Dismissed as Useless.

Machinists imported from the East by the National Metal Trades to take the places of striking workmen in the Allis-Chalmers plants began deserting yesterday. Stories differ as to the exact number, the machinists claiming that fifteen have quit, while the manufacturers insist the number did not exceed five or six.

The deserting machinists, according to their own story and that of the manufacturers, were men who had no experience in the craft and knew no more about operating a lathe than they did about driving an automobile. Two, in fact, were barbers, three New England farmers, one a Boston fisherman, and another a cab driver. Two machinists only were found among the number of deserters, these being from Philadelphia, where they joined the party at the request of the Chicago union to dissuade the men from entering the Chalmers plant.

Say Representations Were False.

The deserters, fifteen in number, according to the machinists, marched across Twelfth street yesterday morning from the Allis-Chalmers plant to the headquarters of the machinists and evinced their desire to leave the plant without being molested. The spokesman informed the machinists, of whom there were about twenty-five standing around, that while in the East conditions had been misrepresented to them, and thus they had been induced to come to Chicago.

"We were told by an agent of the National Metal Trades association," said he, "that the Allis-Chalmers plant was a new institution in need of men. Nothing was said of a strike, and we were brought here expecting to find new buildings in which to work and no possibility of having our heads punched if we stuck them outside the shop. When we found that we would have to take our meals inside the plant and live there, we insisted upon quitting. Superintendent Penton at first demurred, but we demanded permission to leave."

Says Men Are Incompetent.

"The men who left the plant were not machinists," said Vice President Henry W. Hoyt of the Allis-Chalmers company. "They secured transportation here by misrepresentation, and when we discovered they were not machinists we told them to get out of the shop. They are only a few of the eighty or ninety men we have at work."

The men who left the plant yesterday morning were escorted by some of the strikers to the headquarters of the machinists at 153 Randolph street, where they were assured by Business Agent Ireland that they would be cared for. Efforts are being made to secure transportation for all the men out of the city. As fast as imported workmen can be induced to leave the plant they will be furnished with tickets back home. It increases the expenses of the strikers, but the machinists are in a fair condition financially, because so many are at work that they can afford to bear this additional cost of the strike.

Will Bring More Workers.

Representatives of the Allis-Chalmers company announced yesterday that more men would be brought in until the plant is filled. To avoid surprise a night picket has been established by the machinists. These pickets are keeping close watch upon the plants, and it will be difficult either to escort men in or out of the plants. From two to five policemen are on guard constantly to prevent violence.

The molders in the South Halsted street iron works left their work yesterday because the members of the National Founders' association had offered a bonus to workmen. The South Halsted street firm is a member of the association, and the molders struck to rebuke the organization for placing a premium on workmen.

Striking iron molders reported yesterday evening, having secured an agreement with the Mitchell Foundry company of Grand Crossing. The firm employs nine molders.

BRITISH MINISTRY DEFEATED.

House of Commons Passes a Measure by Vote of 163 to 141 Opposed by the Government.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Aug. 13, 3 a. m.—The ministry was defeated in the House of Commons last evening by a vote of 141 to 163. The vote came during the debate on the government's factory bill. Mr. Renshaw moved to omit the clause compelling textile trades to close at noon on Saturdays.

Mr. Ritchie, Home Secretary, accepted the amendment, but it was lost.

When the result was announced the Nationalist members shouted "resign," but Mr. Ritchie, amid opposition groans, said that the government would accept the decision of the House and retain the clause.

Timothy Healy, amid laughter, remarked that the Home Secretary had shown great resignation, but not the sort of resignation the House wanted.

Arrest Tramp as Wife Slayer.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Wilfred Blondin, the Chelmsford, Mass., wife murderer, is supposed to be under arrest at Richfield Springs. A man who formerly lived in Boston declared he recognized a tramp who passed along the road out of Richfield Springs today as Blondin. He notified officers and the tramp was followed and captured. He refuses to give his name, but it is said the description of Blondin fits him accurately.

FEARS WAR IN VENEZUELA

COLOMBIAN LEGATION WITHDRAWS FROM CARACAS.

United States Charge d'Affaires at Capital Sends News of What May Be the Final Diplomatic Rupture Between the Two South American Republics—Warships Already on Their Way to Scenes of Possible Conflict—State Department Anxious for News.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—There are indications that the expected rupture between Venezuela and Colombia has taken place. W. W. Russell, Charge of the United States Legation at Caracas, asked the State department several days ago for authority to look after Colombian interests should the Colombian Minister to Venezuela withdraw. The authority was cabled him and advices received tonight say that the Colombian legation left Caracas today.

Mr. Russell expressed apprehension that the diplomatic relations between the two countries would soon be severed and said that the Colombian Minister had asked him to look after Colombian interests. The State department informed Mr. Russell that he had full authority to do so, provided he was acceptable to the Venezuelan government.

May Be Prelude to War.

In taking charge of Colombian interests Mr. Russell merely acts in the same way as did the British Consul at Santiago who represented American interests before war was declared between the United States and Spain.

It is said at the State department that the action of Colombia in getting the representative of another country to look after its interests when trouble is impending with Venezuela indicates either that the Colombian Minister was recalled by his government, that he had been given his passports by the Venezuelan government, or that he had left temporarily pending further developments.

There has been no report from Mr. Russell saying definitely that the Colombian Minister has been recalled, but in view of the conditions described in his dispatch it is the opinion of some of the officials that diplomatic relations have been severed and that further trouble may be expected.

Warships on the Way.

Orders were issued to the battleship Iowa to proceed to San Francisco and make preparations to go to Panama if it is determined a warship is needed there. Orders were first sent to the Wisconsin, at Bremerton, but as the vessel had left there Admiral Casey was notified to send the Iowa, his flagship, to San Francisco at once.

In the meantime the gunboat Ranger is under orders to go to Panama at a moment's notice.

The Navy department officially notified the State department this morning of the arrival of the gunboat Machias at Hampton Roads on the way to Colon.

Colombian Legation in the Dark.

Mr. Heran, the Colombian Charge d'Affaires at Washington, is still in official ignorance of the momentous events transpiring on the Isthmus of Panama and along the Venezuelan border. He attributes his lack of information to a break in cable communication with his country, the line from Buena Ventura north having been reported to be in bad working order.

Mr. Heran characterised the situation in the South as most bewildering. He expects his official mail from Colombia tomorrow and hopes this will enable him more correctly to gauge the situation in his country.

KAISER AND KING AT POTSDAM.

Royal Mourners Gather for Today's Burial of the Dowager Empress Frederick.

POTSDAM, Aug. 12.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here this evening and were met at the station by Emperor William, the Empress, and their eldest three sons. Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia have also arrived.

Only the royal mourners will enter the mausoleum today, and every road and street leading to Sans Souci Park will be closed. Even the inhabitants of Victoria street will not be allowed to stand in their own front gardens during the passage of the funeral procession.

Great popular discontent prevails on account of this stringent regulation, which is probably due to fear of Anarchists' disturbances.

Anarchists are believed to have tampered with the train conveying the German Crown Prince from Homburg. The spring of his carriage was found broken at Leinfelde, and at another station a piece of iron was discovered on the line.

Ambassador White to Go.

BERLIN, Aug. 12.—United States Ambassador White arrived here today. He goes to Potsdam tomorrow with the Ambassadors and other persons invited to be present at the interment of the remains of the Dowager Empress Frederick.

Body Removed by Torchlight.

CRONBERG, Aug. 12.—The body of the Dowager Empress was removed by torchlight tonight from the church to the railway station with a ceremony similar to that of Saturday. The coffin was deposited in a car specially prepared and draped for its reception. The funeral train started for Potsdam at 9:50 p. m.

POPE PRAYS FOR CRISPI'S SOUL.

Leo XIII., Ancient Opponent of Italy's Dead Ex-Premier, Says He Was a Good Fighter.

ROME, Aug. 12.—The Pope was only informed of the death of Sig. Crispi this morning. He exclaimed:

"Providence has evidently really decreed that I shall be the last of my generation to go. Well, Crispi was a good fighter."

A few moments later the Pope was on his knees at his priedieu praying for the soul of his ancient enemy.

Safe Conduct to Crispi's Son.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

NAPLES, Aug. 12.—The Minister of Justice will offer a safe conduct to Sig. Crispi's son to enable him to attend his father's funeral. A few years ago young Crispi was sentenced to a term of imprisonment, but fled to America, where he now is.

The late Premier's fortune amounts to 500,000 lire. His will directs that the funeral shall be entirely of a civil character.

KING DECORATES WALDERSEE.

German Field Marshal Boasts of the Power of the Kaiser's Army in China.

LONDON, Aug. 13, 3 a. m.—The Court Circular announces that King Edward, when receiving Count von Waldersee in audience at Homburg, invested him with the military grand cross of the Order of the Bath.

BERLIN, Aug. 12—Count von Waldersee, at the reception given him at Hanover, spoke as follows:

"Our friends certainly learned to respect us more than ever, but our enemies now know us fully. We have taught the latter to respect us thoroughly. They know that a collision with Germany is a bad job and that the Kaiser is backed by great power."

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Stops Diarrhoea and Stomach Cramps. Dr. Siegert's Genuine Imported Angostura Bitters.

RICHARD CROKER IS CALLED HOME.

Tammany Chief Expected to Sail from England on August 17.

NEEDED IN NEW YORK.

Returns to Gotham to Take Charge of the Democratic Campaign.

KEEPS HIS PLANS A SECRET.

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[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Aug. 13, 3 a. m.—Richard Croker will return to New York at once. The villagers and tradesmen of Letcombe are confident that he will remain at Moat House until the end of September, but his departure for America is not likely to be deferred more than a fortnight. In fact, one of his confidential advisers now here states positively that Croker will sail the middle of August to take charge of Democratic politics in New York.

Croker delights to mislead every inquirer and to keep his plans enveloped in mystery, but unless those usually in his confidence are deceived he will leave England on Aug. 17 and not return until he has set his political house in order.

The master of Moat House finds the progress in the improvement of his Wantage estate almost as difficult as the extirpation of vice and crime in New York. Unexpected things are constantly happening. When the huge basin for the artificial lake was completed the water was let in experimentally to enable the workmen to judge whether the excavations were of sufficient depth. When the lake was emptied again the volume was too great for the bed of the stream and there was a foot of water in the houses of Wantage, a mile and a half distant, in consequence of the overflow. The excavations were deepened and the water was again let in, but the trout stream, which is fed from the same springs as the lake, shriveled up and the fish were left high and dry.

Tammany pilgrims and emissaries who go to Letcombe are impressed with the dignity of the new approach to the political throne of the New York leader. The entrance to Moat House is now a wide sweep of graveled road, with a massive wall surmounted by iron palings, and the land on either side is owned by Croker. There are no sentry boxes at the gates and democratic simplicity remains.

Parliament Dull, Grouse Plenty.

The 12th of August has found a diminished House of Commons at Westminster shooting folly as it flies, and Irish members poaching on the legislative preserves for belated measures had little game yesterday, as the financial supply had been closed. Reports from the northern moors in today's journals are more elaborate than the Parliamentary discussions or the war news of an army of 250,000 soldiers. The grouse is described as excellent, and the muster of sportsmen of rank and fashion in the heather is larger than for many years.

The shooting season opened with rain in many portions of Scotland.

Hall Caine's Damage Suits.

Hall Cane is in London arranging to copyright the performances of the play based on his new novel and conferring with his solicitors respecting Pearson's suit against him and his own countersuit. Sir Edward Clark and other noted barristers are retained in these legal proceedings, involving damages caused by the suspension of the serial publication of the novel on the ground of the alleged immorality of the motives and the phrasing of portions of the work.

While this litigation will help advertise the book, the result of the experiment of referring the question of the morality or immorality of fiction to the expert judgment of an ordinary jury will be awaited with curiosity by authors.

As to Kruger's Health.

The reports of Kruger's failing health are not authoritatively confirmed. Specialists may be required for impaired eyesight, but feeble heart action is the real source of danger and cannot be guarded against.

There is the usual medley of dispatches from south Africa, with evidences that French's operations against Kritzinger in Cape Colony are proving effective.

Inspired by Cecil Rhodes.

The letter in the Spectator respecting Cecil Rhodes' conditional subscription to the Liberal party, which Campbell-Bannerman and Harcourt have vehemently branded as untruthful, was written without doubt by C. W. Boyd, son of the Rev. A. K. H. Boyd, and the confidential associate of the south African statesman. It may be safely inferred that Cecil Rhodes inspired the letter. I. N. F.

GOMEZ NOT TO ACCEPT OFFICE.

Cuban Revolutionary Leader Refuses to Allow His Name to Be Used as Presidential Candidate.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

HAVANA, Aug. 12.—The local committee of one of the Havana wards recently named General Maximo Gomez as its candidate for President and Estrada Palma for Vice President. General Gomez has written to the committee, saying that he has irrevocably decided not to accept any nomination for the office. He adds:

"I believe the two best fitted for President and Vice President are Señors Palma and Masso. Let all Cubans unite on this important matter and they will have a strong government worthy of Cuba and most fitted to deal with external relations, which in a republic like Cuba will have to be constituted."

Masso Declines to Resign.

An effort is being made by a number of the most representative leaders of the revolution to make Señor Palma the unanimous candidate for the Presidency. So far it is claimed that Señor Masso refuses to resign in favor of Palma.

A delegate says that the practical effect of the election law will be that the Senate will consist entirely of Radicals, for although the law recognizes the minority, this will be of no effect, because the Senatorial Electors elected by majorities will outnumber those elected by minorities by two to one, and as each Elector can vote for the full number of Senators these will all be elected by Electors representing majorities.

Quiet Restored at Cienfuegos.

The trouble over the resignation of the Mayor of Cienfuegos has been satisfactorily settled. A new Mayor has been elected by the municipality to take the place of Señor Vieta, who ceased to be Mayor owing to his refusal to obey the order of Acting Governor General Scott to reinstate the police whom he had illegally dismissed. Señor Esquerra, the Acting Mayor, has been elected Mayor. A new police force to take the place of the men dismissed by Vieta is being selected from the members of the old force.

ENVOYS AT PEKIN AGREE.

FINAL PROTOCOL FIXES A FIVE PER CENT TARIFF.

Commissioner Rockhill Notifies the State Department That American Flour Is on the Free List—New Duties Will Become Effective Two Months After the Agreement Is Signed by All the Powers—Court Delays Its Return to Capital.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—The State department has received a cablegram from Mr. Rockhill at Pekin reporting that the draft of the final protocol has been agreed upon.

A tariff of 5 per cent ad valorem, effective, will be put in force two months after the signing of the final protocol, excepting on goods shipped within ten days after signing, and will continue until the conversion to specific rates has been effected by the expert commission.

The Chinese free list will include rice, foreign cereals, and flour, gold and silver bullion and coin. This inclusion of flour in the free list is of much importance, particularly to Pacific coast shippers.

Mr. Rockhill's dispatch that cereals and flour have been included in the free list of the new Chinese tariff is regarded as an important provision, owing to the growth of American exports of wheat and flour to China. In 1899 these amounted to $2,209,063, which was almost double the shipments of the preceding year.

The American shipments of rice and the other articles mentioned are not large, and the inclusion of rice on the free list is chiefly due to China's needs of this staple food.

Chinese Court Postpones Journey.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PEKIN, Aug. 12.—The Chinese peace envoys have received a dispatch from the court in reply to a telegram sent by the plenipotentiaries announcing the retirement of the foreign troops with the exception of a small legation guard from Pekin.

The court charges that there has been bad management in the conduct of the negotiations and that there are far too many foreign troops left in Pekin, consequently, although the court had announced that it would return to Pekin, it may be compelled to reconsider this decision.

The dispatch says further that the court must go to Kaifeng-Fu, where the High Ministers desire to celebrate the birthday of the Dowager Empress on Nov. 20. Consequently the court cannot return to Pekin this year.

Want Settlement with Russia.

A high official said today that the true motive for the further delay in the return of the court to Pekin is that the Dowager Empress and Emperor Kwang-Su desire a settlement of the Manchurian treaty question with Russia. The Chinese expect that this will be presented immediately after the signing of the protocol. Aug. 15 is the day set for affixing the seals to the agreement with the Chinese plenipotentiaries.

MANILA TO WELCOME TEACHERS

Six Hundred Educators to Be Warmly Greeted on Their Arrival This Week.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MANILA, Aug. 12.—Superintendent of Schools Atkinson is preparing a splendid reception for the 600 American school teachers who are expected to arrive here within a week. When the transport arrives fifteen launches will convey the teachers to the Luneta landing. Then they will be driven to the Spanish exposition buildings, which will become a temporary educational colony. The teachers will get their board for one dollar a day. The buildings have been completely furnished by the army with cots, chairs, etc., which have been loaned by the Quartermaster's department.

Low Rates for Teachers.

The arrangements for the comfort of the newcomers are complete in every detail. They include contracts with tailors and laundrymen, and the teachers will be furnished with booklets containing information in regard to the islands.

The department will spend $10,000 in taking care of the teachers, and has arranged with the railroad and the steamship people for half rates. It is expected that the teachers will be distributed in the provinces within a fortnight. Four hundred and fifty have already been assigned to posts, but the rains may prevent many from reaching their stations for some time.

Death Rate Still Lower.

The report of the health officials for the last months shows that the death rate was the lowest since the American occupation.

The Philippine commission will sail for the north tomorrow, but there are numerous reports of floods and storms, and the members may have to change their itinerary. These floods may also prevent the delegates from reaching the various capitals.

The Philippine commission today passed laws empowering justices of the peace to order arrests and to hold the preliminary hearings in criminal cases. This authority has been invested heretofore in the courts of first instance. The laws also provide that the courts of first instance shall not be required to forward the records of criminal cases to the Supreme Court for judgment except where the death sentence has been imposed. The new rules also repeal the former military provisions.

GLASGOW TO HONOR CARNEGIE.

Corporation to Confer the Freedom of the City on the Ironmaster of Pittsburg.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

GLASGOW, Aug. 12.—The corporation of Glasgow will confer the freedom of the city on Andrew Carnegie for his liberality to the University of Scotland and in giving libraries to various towns.

Turkey Resists French Demands.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Aug. 12.—The Temps publishes a dispatch from Constantinople to the effect that the Sultan, while promising satisfaction to M. Constans, the Turkish Ambassador, in regard to the claims of the Quays company to the docks, maintains his decision in regard to the right of Turkey to purchase the concession.

Decision in French Naval Maneuvers.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BREST, Aug. 12.—In regard to the recent French naval maneuvers the umpires have decided that the land forts annihilated the Northern squadron, which conducted the attack.

Results of Servian Elections.

BELGRADE, Aug. 12.—The second ballots in the elections, which it was found necessary to hold in thirty-eight districts, have been completed. The Skupshtina consists of 110 Ministerialists, of whom eighty-four are Radicals and twenty Independents and Liberals.

Notes from Foreign Lands.

MADRID—The general feeling of discontent prevailing here has reached the royal kitchen, and the principal chef and five cooks at the King's palace have gone out on strike.

BERLIN—Edmund Z. Brodowsky, United States Consul at Solingen, died suddenly yesterday morning at the house of a friend, a surveyor named Kubicki, in Eberswalde.

LONDON—A meeting of grain shippers and importers has been summoned for Tuesday to organize resistance to the determination of the London and India Docks company to raise the charges from 1s to 1s 6d per ton on Jan. 1.

SOFIA, Bulgaria—The trial of Saraloff, the former President of the Macedonian committee, and other leaders of the committee is in progress. They are charged with being connected with the murder of an alleged Turkish spy, Fitowsky, and with the assassination of Professor Michaelaiu of Bucharest.

CHICAGO DOCTOR'S BILL TO ENGLAND.

A. F. Conroy, M. D., Puts in Claim for $35,000 for Losses in the Boer War.

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British Officials Assert That He Fought with the Burghers.

OTHER AMERICANS ASK CASH

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Aug. 13, 3 a. m.—At yesterday's session of the South African Compensation commission Newton Crane, a London barrister, presented the claim of Dr. A. F. Conroy of Chicago, who asks damages from the British treasury to the amount of £7,000 ($35,000).

Mr. Crane stated that Dr. Conroy went to south Africa as a physician of the Red Cross society and that he served impartially among the Boers and English. He was arrested at Brandwacht and sent to Pretoria and thence to Europe. He claimed the £7,000 damages for losses sustained by him, the British having seized his horses, mules, wagons, and medical and hospital equipment.

Sir John Ardagh, the representative of the Foreign office, contended that Dr. Conroy's expedition was composed of men who threw away their Red Cross badges and joined the fighting Boers.

Mr. Crane also presented the claims of thirteen other Americans.

Asks for $50,000.

A. J. Glebener, formerly of Galveston, Tex., now stranded in Saxony, went to south Africa in the capacity of assayer and was deported from East London. He asserts he is ruined in health and fortune and wants £10,000 ($50,000). He makes his claim in a letter to President McKinley, with whom, he says, he fought in the Shenandoah Valley during the civil war.

S. J. Ahrtug of Brooklyn, who was expelled from Bloomfontein, wants £300 ($1,500) for the loss of his grocery and goods.

Anna Wedekind of Brooklyn claims £34 ($670) for deportation and loss of employment in the capacity of cook.

Nine miners claim varying sums for deportation. They were accused of complicity in the plot against Lord Roberts.

Mr. Crane said the claims were made in behalf of the United States government.

The chairman, Mr. Milvain, said he thought no allowance could be made except for legal claims. Something, possibly, might be given to others as an act of grace, but the Foreign office had laid down the principle that the military authorities had power to expel any one hostile or inconvenient.

Kitchener Reports Captures.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Under date of today General Kitchener telegraphs from Pretoria to the War office as follows:

"I am glad to send you the largest return I have yet had for one week. Since Aug. 1 the columns report thirty-nine killed, twenty-two wounded, 685 prisoners, including F. Wessmarans, late chairman of the First Volksraad, and eighty-five surrenders, including Commandant Devilliers of Waterberg, a total of 829. The columns have also captured 24,100 rounds of small arm ammunition, 25 wagons, 5,580 horses, and over 33,000 cattle.

The Colonial office announces that under date of July 8 the resident magistrate and clerk of Steytlersville reported to Sir Hercules Hutchinson, Governor of the Cape Colony, that while they were out scouting with a native constable named James Madlala they were surprised by Boers, who shot the constable in cold blood, though he was not armed.

Brings in Boer Prisoners.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BLOEMFONTEIN, Aug. 11.—General Weston's column, which has been operating lately in conjunction with General Elliott's command, arrived here from Klerksdorp today, bringing in nineteen prisoners, 500 Boer refugees, and 1,000 natives, mostly all young children. The column had continual skirmishes from the Modder River to the Vaal. The British only had one man wounded.

Peace Envoy Andries Wessels, who was reported to have been shot by order of General De Wet, was brought into Kronstad from Heilbron yesterday by Rimington's column.

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ROLLINGER CASE GIRL WEDDED.

Lena Hecker the Bride of Albert Fridrich, Formerly Keeper of a Basement Saloon.

Lena Hecker, whose name was brought into the Rollinger murder case, was married to Albert Fridrich at St. Joseph, Mich., last week. Rollinger killed his wife in the hope that he could marry Lena Hecker, and was hanged more than two years ago.

DETECTIVE OUT; "GRAFT" CHARGED

Chief O'Neill Suspends Tracy Pending Trial of the Allegations.

OTHERS IN THE AFFAIR.

Story Is That Accused Man Received $78 for Work He Never Performed.

OLD CUSTOM ENLARGED.

Superintendent of Police O'Neill yesterday suspended Detective Tracy of the city detective force pending trial on a charge of drawing money from the State for bringing a prisoner back from Cleveland when, as a matter of fact, the detective had not been out of the city.

In speaking of the case last evening Chief O'Neill said it looked as if Chief of Detectives Colleran and Lieutenant Joyce, as well as Detectives Tracy, Cramer, and Gallagher knew of the matter, but to what extent could be determined only when the facts came out on the trial.

The practice of swelling expense accounts in extradition cases is an old one with detectives traveling on passes. The putting in of an expense account when the detective has never been out of the city is a new idea.

"It looks as if five men ought to have known about the case," said Chief O'Neill yesterday in talking of it. "Colleran, as head of the department, should have known of it, and Lieutenant Joyce did the pen work. Gallagher and Cramer knew Tracy did not bring the man back from Cleveland."

The case was worked out by Chief O'Neill himself. He had been holding it back waiting for the return of Colleran, who is now out of the city, but the charge leaked out. All the men supposed to be implicated refuse to talk.

History of the Case.

The facts alleged in the Tracy case are that Detective John H. Gallagher was in Cleveland some time ago to extradite a man named Michael Lovece, wanted in Chicago. While going through the county jail there he found one Joseph Larkin who also was wanted in Chicago. Larkin said he was willing to return without extradition papers, and so when Gallagher came back with Lovece he brought Larkin also. Both men were turned over to Sheriff Magerstadt and receipts taken for them, but Lovece was credited to Gallagher and his partner, Davison, while Larkin, whose case originally had been assigned to Tracy, was credited to him and his partner. Soon afterwards Gallagher made out an expense account for $78 for bringing Lovece back, and shortly afterwards Tracy claimed the same amount for bringing back Larkin. Lieutenant Joyce of the Central Station made out the expense account, and, after Tracy had sworn to it, it was allowed by the State Auditor. The roll calls of the detective force show, it is asserted, that at the time this expense account indicates Tracy was in Cleveland he really was in Chicago.

Joyce Denies All Blame.

Lieutenant Joyce acknowledged drawing up the expense account for Tracy, but claims he had no knowledge at the time that Tracy had not really done the work. Superintendent O'Neill, however, is disposed to hold Joyce to an accounting in the matter on the ground that as a Lieutenant of Detectives it was his duty to find out what work the men under him were doing. The responsibility of Colleran is inferred for the same reason.

Ever since the Detective bureau was established the work of bringing back prisoners from other States has been looked on as furnishing a "graft." The old custom, however, was for the detective to procure railroad passes for himself to the place where his prisoner was and for the return of both and charge up to the State mileage at from 10 to 15 cents a mile.

Flagrant Case in Old Days.

The most flagrant case in the older days was when two detectives connected with the State's Attorney's office during a former administration who wanted to take a trip to New York evolved a plan to do so at the State's expense. There was under indictment a man charged with embezzlement whose troubles had been fixed up with his former employers and whose case was to be dropped. Taking this man into the plan the detectives procured passes for him and themselves to New York, at the same time getting requisition papers for his return from that State as a fugitive. Then the three went to New York City, enjoyed themselves after their own fashion, got their requisition papers certified, and came home when they got ready, the detectives afterwards collecting $600.

MORTALITY OF CHILDREN LESS IN THE LAST WEEK.

Cooler Weather Makes a Difference of Over Twenty Per Cent from the Average Midsummer Proportion.

The record of mortality for the last week showed a marked diminution in the average of deaths of children, and this is believed to be due to the decrease in temperature. There were 468 deaths, and of these but 170 were of children under 5 years of age. This proportion is more than 20 per cent lower than the average midsummer proportion and is an evidence of the vast importance of climatic conditions in the health of the young.

HARLEM CASES TO BE HEARD.

Judge Kavanagh Will Adjudicate When It Is Proved That the Anti-Gambling Movement Is Sincere.

Judge Kavanagh will hear all the cases alleging gambling by means of bookmaking at the Harlem tracks, providing he is shown that the effort to stop gambling is bona fide. This announcement was made yesterday when he authorized the filing of complaints against James Connors, Marsh Redon, and "Fatty" Phillips.

Governor Durbin of Indiana spent a few hours in Chicago yesterday, having arrived in the morning from French Lick Springs. He left later for Indianapolis. He professed entire ignorance of the gambling carried on at Whiting, and averred that any trouble in that part of the State, if such existed, was an overflow from the corruption of Chicago.

ARREST ALLEGED FLOWER THIEF

Hyde Park Police Capture a Janitress Whose Rooms Are Packed with Rare Blossoms.

Tillie Partridge, janitress at the O'Brien building, 176 East Fifty-third street, was arrested yesterday morning on a warrant charging her with larceny. According to the police, Mrs. Partridge has been in the practice of making nightly raids upon the floral displays of Hyde Park. An investigation led to Mrs. Partridge's arrest. According to the police, the woman's rooms were filled with flowers.

PAYS DEARLY FOR SMOKING A CIGARET.

Miss Amelia Smoke, whose first effort to puff a cigaret may result in death, was still alive yesterday. The physicians at the Emergency Hospital said they hoped she would recover. Miss Smoke lives at 627 Center avenue. She was visiting at 509 Clark street on Sunday. In attempting to light a cigaret her dress was ignited and she was seriously burned.

THINK PASSES SMALL PAY

ALDERMEN SAY RAILROADS GET BIG FAVORS FOR THEM.

Mr. Conlon Says the Pasteboards Passed Franklin Street Ordinance, Winning His Vote and Others—Western Indiana Given $6,000,000 Worth of Land—Several Hundred Men in Street Cleaning and Special Assessment Departments Laid Off.

"This thing ought to be stopped," said Alderman Michael Conlon of the Eighteenth Ward yesterday.

The Alderman had opened an envelope containing a railroad pass, and put the pass in his pocket.

"It ought to be stopped," he repeated. "It makes trouble, and then the companies come around and say they have been giving us favors and they get ordinances passed. They get big favors for just a few little passes."

How to prevent the receipt of passes by the Aldermen is a question which has been considered and almost given up as a hopeless undertaking. A proposition to pass a resolution against the use of passes by members of the Council has been the only solution offered, and that, it is admitted, would be effective only as long as the individual Aldermen wanted it to be.

"Why did we pass the Franklin street ordinance?" asked Alderman Conlon of the Eighteenth Ward. "Because the Northwestern railroad men came around and reminded us of the favors which we had received from the company. I would not have voted to vacate the end of the street if it had not been for these railroad passes."

This strip of land which the Council vacated for $5,000 was claimed by Alderman Minwegen to be worth $200,000.

"Then we gave the Western Indiana $6,000,000 worth of land in a track elevation ordinance. I had experts put an estimate on the land that road secured by the vacation of streets, and they placed it at this figure. All we got was passes."

One objection on the part of the Aldermen is that the compensation is inadequate to the service they are called upon to render to the railroad companies. Then the privilege makes them work. They are supposed to get half rates and passes for their constituents.

Street Cleaning Men Laid Off.

Vacations were ordered for 300 men in the Street Cleaning department yesterday by Commissioner of Public Works Blockl and for 100 in the Bureau of Special Assessments by Secretary John A. May. In the latter bureau the men will be off a month, which will enable the bureau to make up the 20 per cent reduction ordered by the Controller. In the Street Cleaning department it is claimed that the suspension of men is only temporary.

"What is proposed," said Mr. Blockl, "is to systematize the work of street cleaning so that the work in one ward can be compared with that in another."

To Revoke a Saloon License.

A recommendation for the revocation of Walter Fleming's saloon license at 3022 Cottage Grove avenue, made by Lieutenant O'Brien, was forwarded to Mayor Harrison yesterday. Fleming's saloon was the scene of the shooting of Constable Hollister B. Goodrich by his wife last week.

ADMITS HAVING STOLEN GOODS.

Reuben Fienberg Confesses When He Is Brought Back to Chicago—Son's Tip Aids in Arrest.

Reuben Fienberg, who arrived in Chicago yesterday in charge of Detective Thomas Duffy, admitted that the property found in his possession when arrested in New York last Saturday was part of that stolen by John Williams, now confined at the Fiftieth Street Station. The statement by Fienberg's 5-year-old boy that his father had "gone across the lake" gave Detective Duffy the tip which ended in the capture after a long chase.

A love letter dropped by Williams in a house he had invaded led to his arrest several days ago, after which he confessed to a long list of burglaries on the South Side. He implicated Fienberg, who was a tailor living at 102 Halsted street, and the latter immediately fled.

In the three satchels which were captured with Fienberg were several dozen inlaid pearl opera glasses, several watches, hundreds of rings, some set with diamonds; breastpins, brooches, and other jewelry. The total is valued at $3,500.

OPTICIANS GATHER IN THE CITY.

Convention Where Questions Relating to the Eye Will Be Discussed at Length Opens Today.

The fourth annual convention of the American Association of Opticians begins this afternoon at the Sherman House. A four days' session will be held. The delegates will be called to order by the President, A. Jay Cross of New York, at 2 o'clock, after which City Prosecutor Taylor will make a speech of welcome. On Friday the officers for the ensuing year will be elected and the exhibits inspected. Many are already in the city.

FIND $32,000 BURIED GOLD.

Searchers Near Meridian, Miss., Unearth a Chest of Spanish Coin, the Spoil of Brigands.

Meridian, Miss., Aug. 12.—News was received in the city today of the finding of $32,000 in Spanish gold specie buried in a chest about five miles from Portersville. Copeland, once the leader of a notorious band which once had its rendezvous in this section, is believed to have buried his wealth here. Another sum of more than $30,000 is believed to be buried in Sucurnochee swamp.

August diamond bargains. Long time, small payments. Loftis Bros., 103 State street.

PAYSON CALLS ON YATES.

EXPLAINS HOW HE CAME TO GET INTO PRISON.

Appointee to Board of Claims Sees Chief Executive at Springfield—Body Will Meet Today and Results Are Watched with Interest—Luther Dearborn, a Member, Talks Regarding Selection of Watseka Man for Place.

Charles H. Payson, President of the State Commission of Claims, was in Springfield yesterday explaining to Governor Yates how it happened that he got into the State Penitentiary of Kansas in 1880, had his name stricken from the roll of attorneys in the same State on disbarment proceedings in another case, and has had trouble in Illinois afterwards.

The commission meets tomorrow and there is considerable curiosity, both locally and through the State, as to what may happen then.

Dearborn Talks of Case.

Luther Dearborn of Chicago, the local member of the State Board of Claims, in talking of the revelations made recently concerning the record of Charles H. Payson, President of the board, said yesterday:

"It is a matter which I feel I am not at liberty to talk about, at least not until the Governor has had a chance to talk the matter over with Payson, which I presume will be done when the commission meets at Springfield tomorrow.

"Furthermore, being the Democratic member of the board, I feel a certain delicacy about saying anything which perhaps would not exist were Mr. Payson and myself members of the same political party. As it is, it seems to me it would be better to allow time for the Governor to look into the case thoroughly and make up his mind what he wants to do before any one else, particularly another member of the commission, goes into print in the matter."

Payson Good-Natured Man.

"All I know about Mr. Payson personally is what little I have seen of him the one time the commission has been in session. He struck me then as being a good-natured sort of a person who was disposed to enjoy himself and make things pleasant for others. Mr. Helm of Metropolis, third member of the commission, struck me as being a good lawyer and a careful man. I was much pleased with what I saw of him.

"The board meets tomorrow and the presence of the members in Springfield will give the Governor a chance to talk with Payson as to matters which have recently been published. What conclusion he will arrive at I have no means of knowing, but I am of the opinion the Governor had no knowledge of the state of facts shown in THE TRIBUNE at the time he made the appointment."

HEGEWISCH TO HAVE A BOOM.

Residents Incorporate the Chicago and Calumet River Railroad to Help Upbuild the Hamlet.

Hegewisch, a little hamlet between Pullman, Ill., and Hammond, Ind., is going to have a boom, and the propagation of this boom is due to the enterprise of its citizens. Incorporation papers were filed yesterday at Springfield for the Chicago and Calumet River railroad company, with a capital stock of $100,000. A railroad will be constructed from the First Ward in Chicago to Hammond, Ind., with frequent stops throughout the suburbs, and which will tap a portion of the outlying part of the city where the transportation facilities are unsatisfactory. The incorporators, who are Hegewisch men, affirm that they need skilled workmen out at their shops and that they know no better way than to provide adequate transportation facilities, which will lead such men to settle, in the knowledge that they are still within easy distance of the city.

DIVERS RECOVER STOLEN GOLD.

Detectives Who Worked on Smelter Robbery Case Dispute Over Payment of the Reward.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Divers today recovered $65,000 worth of the gold sunk in the water near the Selby smelting works by John Winters last week, after he had stolen the precious metal. Only $50,000 of the treasure is missing now.

Winters is still detained by the officers in this city, but has not been formally charged with the crime. This fact lends weight to the belief that he will be leniently dealt with.

Detective Morse, who got information from Donaldson, an employé of the works, states that a large portion of the reward should be divided between Donaldson and Sheriff Veal of Contra Costa County. The claim is opposed by the other detective agency in the case.

JEALOUSY QUEERS AIM OF TWO.

Shot Intended for Woman Strikes a Man—Loving Another's Husband, Girl Wounds the Wife.

Jealousy led to two shootings yesterday, but in each instance the assailant proved a poor marksman, but both escaped the police. George Geroux fired at Miss Carmene De Vehere because she wouldn't marry him. The bullet went wild and struck Napoleon De Laur, proprietor of the New York Hotel, 382 Dearborn street, where the assault was made. De Laur was wounded in the thigh, but his condition is not serious. Minnie Miller loved the husband of Mrs. Ellis Harris, 36 Carpenter street, and sought to kill off the wife. She fired twice, one shot striking Mrs. Harris in the arm and the other lodging in a door. The two women are colored.

DENOUNCE DIVES ON NORTH SIDE.

Residents Beginning Crusade Against Alleged Increase of Disorder.

CENTER IN CLARK STREET

Mrs. Nellie Wilson Obtains Warrant for Henry Darfler as Owner.

SAYS POLICE SHOW APATHY.

Saloonkeepers on the North Side, in the district bounded by Chicago and Dearborn avenues, and Franklin street and the river, are to feel the wrath of indignant citizens. Led by Mrs. Nellie Wilson, 202 Ontario street, a crusade has been started to purify that territory, it being alleged that complaints to the city officials are ignored.

Warrants have been secured for Henry Darfler, who owns the establishment at 130 North Clark street, and it is asserted similar proceedings against other men will follow. Residents of the neighborhood allege that the district mentioned fast is approaching the condition that existed in the levee.

Saloons against which the war is to be made are in a row in Clark street, from Ontario to Ohio streets, as follows: H. Jeager, 125 Clark street; The Monarch, 127 Clark street; The Puritan, 135 Clark street; Mont Tennes, 143 Clark street; and Darfler's place. The latter's saloon is made the center of attack, for it is said to be the most disorderly.

Makes Charges Against Police.

Mrs. Wilson owns a boarding-house across the alley from the row of saloons, and she says life has been made miserable to her and her guests by the carousals that are carried on in the saloons. Driven to action by the viciousness of these places, she secured a warrant for Darfler three weeks ago before Justice Martin, who, she says, expostulated with her and tried to deter her from her purpose. The warrants were given to Constable Goodrich, who recently was shot, but after that affair they were recovered by Mrs. Wilson and are now in her possession.

Mrs. Wilson says she next wrote a letter to the Mayor complaining of the conditions, but received no reply. Then, she says, she laid the matter before Chief O'Neill, who in turn referred her to Inspector Heidelmeier. The latter investigated, it is alleged, and reported the saloons were conducted in an orderly manner. As a last resort, Mrs. Wilson says, she personally visited the police station, and asserts that no attention was paid to her complaints.

Asked Why She Didn't Move.

"It is useless for a woman to visit a police station," said Mrs. Wilson. "The policemen only scoff at you. I spoke to Captain Revere and to Lieutenant Collins and they were as indifferent as the rest. These scenes are something disgraceful. If the levee is any worse than this I feel sorry for the levee. At the East Chicago Avenue Station they asked me why I didn't move if I didn't like the place."

Other persons who have interested themselves in the reform movement are Mrs. Rabis, 202 Ontario street; Mrs. Lynch, a prominent resident in the neighborhood; and W. H. Luecke, manager of the George Frank Manufacturing company, Ontario street and La Salle avenue. A petition will be sent to Alderman Honoré Palmer, urging him to assist in the crusade.

Saloon Men Deny Charges.

The saloon men are indignant at the actions of Mrs. Wilson and her associates. They deny her charges that the saloons are disorderly. The manager of the Darfler saloon said:

"Mrs. Wilson's statements are not true. As soon as the least little noise occurs she blames it on our saloon. We pay taxes. We do more to support the city, the schools, everything, than all the so-called reformers put together. It is nothing but a lot of prejudice."

WOMAN CAPTURES A BURGLAR.

Storekeeper Finding Putty Removed from Window Keeps Watch and Catches Intruder at Midnight.

Waukegan, Ill., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Mrs. Mary Fleming captured a burglar single-handed early this morning and handed him over to the police. The man, Gilbert Brechelson, was held to the grand jury today, having waived examination. Mrs. Fleming and her son conduct a candy store down-town and live in rooms above, and several days ago the rooms were robbed of a small amount of property. Yesterday her son noticed that putty had been removed from about a pane of glass at the rear of the store and suspected an attempt to rob it, so watch was kept. About midnight Mrs. Fleming heard a noise in the yard back of the store, hurried out, and, passing a barrel, found a man crouching behind it. She grabbed him, jerked him to his feet, and marched him into the store, where she held him till the police came. He confessed having robbed their rooms on the previous occasion.

TRIGGS GIVES GARLAND PRAISE.

Says He Excels Most Others as the Writer of Free Western Life.

Professor Oscar L. Triggs has condemned Longfellow and Lowell, but he finds something good, and bright, and interesting in some of the later poets and writers. Hamlin Garland came in for a round in the professor's lecture to his class at the university yesterday morning.

The professor thinks that Mr. Garland is one of a few writers who have been highly successful in presenting Western life with its manners and customs, which differ so materially from those of the East. "I have known some poets," said Dr. Triggs, "who have come out of the East to our Western States thinking that there was something out here to inspire them and furnish food for their muse, but the larger and freer Western life, the broad prairies, with all their monotony, have completely overcome them, and they failed to accomplish their purpose. But Hamlin Garland was equal to the new conditions, and rose above his surroundings. Mr. Garland easily follows next to Walt Whitman in representing our free Western life."

GLASS STICKS IN HIS BACK.

Fireman Injured Two Years Ago Has Splinter Two Inches Long Taken Out of His Body.

Two years ago Pipeman Henry Shaw of Hose company No. 2 of the Fire department was injured at a down-town fire by falling glass. He was taken to the hospital at the time of the accident, and after about four ounces of the sharp-edged material was taken from his back and shoulders he returned to work. A few days ago he was on duty at his company quarters when he felt a sharp pain in the back. He leaned forward, and the sharp point of a piece of heavy plate glass protruded through the flesh near the spine. Lieutenant Mooney called a physician, and the doctor removed a piece of glass, crescent shaped and running from a sharp point to a base three-quarters of an inch broad. The glass was a quarter of an inch thick and two inches long.

TWO MOTHERS MOURN FOR MISSING DAUGHTERS

The shadow of grief rested on two West Side homes last night, and two mothers spent the hours mourning for daughters who have disappeared. In the rear rooms of 525 West Eighteenth street Mrs. William Trestik, with poverty and illness facing her and only a 14-year-old child to comfort her, begged that some one bring back to her a girl 19 years old. Surrounded by a husband and three children Mrs. William Struwing of 915 West Polk street, mourned for her daughter Martha, also 19 years old.

Marie (Trestik) Fous.

Martha Struwing.

Marie Trestik was married to Henry Fous on Nov. 3 last, but, after three months, gossips marred the content which reigned in the household. On June 22 she disappeared. In the afternoon a note came telling her mother that she could not bear the talk of the neighborhood and would never return. The mother, weary of waiting, caused the following advertisement to be published, hoping it would touch a tender chord and bring her girl home:

"Marie Fous (née Trestik): Return home; mother on deathbed; everything forgiven. 525 West Eighteenth street."

In the residence of William Struwing a grief not as apparent but as strong prevails. On Tuesday morning Martha, the eldest daughter, rose early and went to the Sanford Ink company's plant and has not been seen since. She obtained her pay, but left no trace of her destination. She has been zealously religious. She wished to join the Salvation Army some time ago, but was prevented by her parents, and since then has been attending various churches. For four nights her brother, William J. Struwing, and Otto Kattleman have been searching the city. The police have been notified and all the religious institutions visited, but no clew has been obtained.

AGED MAN DIES OF HEAT PROSTRATION IN HAYLOFT.

Septuagenarian, Working in a Suffocating Atmosphere, Is Overcome and Falls Dead Just Before Dinner Hour.

J. M. McCohen, aged 70 years, 5602 Sangamon street, yesterday dropped dead of heat prostration while working in a suffocating hayloft in the rear of 5525 Halsted street. In another five minutes he would have stopped work for dinner. His companions found the body almost covered in a pile of hay into which it had fallen. He leaves a wife and children.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 74° at 5 p. m.; the minimum was 66° at 5 a. m. The humidity was 54.

The forecast for today is fair with light winds, varying in direction, but blowing mainly from the east. Tomorrow the sky will be somewhat clouded.

ELEVEN YEARS' SAVINGS STOLEN

Man Intending to Send $310 to Austria to Bring His Wife Has His Pocket Picked.

Joseph Ball, a section hand employed by the Chicago Union Traction company, and living at 125 De Koven street, was robbed early yesterday morning of $310 at Halsted and Van Buren streets. The money was stolen from Ball while he was sleeping on the sidewalk. The money, the savings of eleven years, was to have been sent to Austria in the afternoon to Ball's wife, who expects to come to America with her three children next month. The robbery was reported to the Desplaines street police, and Lieutenant O'Connor and a number of officers made several arrests, but the suspects did not have much money in their possession and they were released.

DELAY MEDINAH TEMPLE SALE.

Interested Parties Have It Postponed Till September — Transfers of South Side Property.

The sale of the Medinah Temple and the leasehold, which was advertised to take place on Thursday next under the terms of a trust deed securing a bond issue of $400,000, has been postponed to September owing to the absence of interested parties from the city.

William H. Hopkins has conveyed to William Geary the premises in Thirty-ninth street, 330 feet west of Cottage Grove avenue, 33x110 feet, for $15,000.

Rhoda M. Coffin has sold to Helen S. Carson the property at the southeast corner of Lake and Oakenwald avenues, 22x125 feet, for $12,000.

OIL FEVER STRIKES LAWTON.

New City in Oklahoma Already the Center of Excitement—Companies Organized Hourly.

Fort Sill, Ok. T., Aug. 12.—Oil companies are being organized hourly in the new Town of Lawton. Twenty or more "promoters" and "oil experts" direct from the Beaumont district had bottles of oil to display today.

No gushers have been brought in. The excitement is not confined to any particular district. Evidence of oil can be found in all directions, but what is known as the oil district is about eleven miles north of Lawton.

Oil locaters have plastered the entire country with mineral claims, and an Ottumwa, Ia., company has 2,000 acres staked in one body.

PLAN FIVE LAKE STEAMERS.

Cleveland Company to Place Contract for Fleet of Big Steel Vessels to Cost $1,500,000.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 12.—The National Transportation company, which will be incorporated in New Jersey, has completed plans for building five steel steamers on the lakes to come out at the opening of navigation next season. The deal, which will be closed here tomorrow, was engineered by Captain W. W. Brown. The contracts for the boats will go to the American Shipbuilding company. The steamers will range in size from 4,800 tons capacity to 6,200 tons. The boats are to be completed on April 15, 1902, and will cost about $1,500,000.

KOKOMO BOY THIEVES IN JAIL.

Nine of an Organized Gang, All Under 12 Years of Age, Bound Over to Court.

Kokomo, Ind., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Nine of an organized gang of twenty boy thieves who robbed offices, stores, and residences under pretense of gathering waste paper, were bound over to court by Mayor Armstrong tonight. The jail is filled with the "knickerbocker brigade," all under 12 years of age, the youngest being 8. The boys were thoroughly organized and operated three months without detection.

ST. LOUIS FAIR BOARD WINS.

Injunction Against Use of Forest Park for the 1903 Exposition Defeated in Court.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 12.—The injunction proceedings to prevent the use by the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company of Forest Park as a site for the 1903 fair was knocked out today in the Circuit Court by Judge Zachritz, who sustained the defendant's demurrer to the plaintiff's petition.

The decision of the court is based on the theory that Henry H. Werdes and John Bargherm, the plaintiffs, are not proper parties to the suit.

CHICAGOAN COMMITS SUICIDE.

Takes Poison, Then Shoots Himself While His Wife Pleads, at Burlington, Vt.

Burlington, Vt., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Edward Flanagan of Chicago committed suicide today at Wallingford, a small town a few miles south of here, where he was spending a vacation. He had been in poor health for some time and was despondent. Yesterday afternoon he took a large dose of strychnine. When his wife attempted to administer an emetic Flanagan objected, and shot himself through the heart.

SLASH $2,000,000 FROM VALUATION

Reviewers Make Many Reductions in Personal Property Assessments.

REALTY TO BE RAISED.

St. Paul and Wisconsin Central Railways Claim Non-Residence.

"L" ROAD HEARING TODAY.

Another slice of $2,000,000 was cut from personal property valuations by the Board of Review yesterday. Members of the Board of Assessors were present a part of the day and opposed any reductions.

As an offset to this personalty cut, the reviewers promise an increase in real estate values within the limits of Chicago. As forecast in THE TRIBUNE, it was decided yesterday that on real estate within the Union Loop the 20 per cent decrease allowed last year will be restored, and on this figure an additional 10 per cent horizontal increase will be spread.

This system of horizontal increases, the percentage of increase varying according to the locality, will be applied to all the towns lying within the city. The revision of realty in the country towns was closed last night. The assessors' figures were confirmed in each of the twenty-six towns.

Queries Bring Many Surprises.

Queries of the reviewers directed at the host of complaining taxpayers brought many surprises. It was shown that coal companies operate on comparatively small capital. Though the heads of these concerns wore diamonds they invariably pleaded poverty for their companies.

"How much cash have you in the bank?" was asked of the agent for the New Pittsburg Coal and Coke company.

"We had $19.50 cash on April 1," was the reply. The plea that they were a "commission firm" did not release an assessment of $1,000.

F. Armstrong of Reid, Murdoch & Co. objected to a valuation of $1,240,000 on the firm's personalty. He asked that $515,000 be substituted. A reduction to $1,000,000 was allowed.

Graham H. Harris, President of the Board of Education, will have to pay taxes on $25,000 worth of personalty. Mr. Harris is en route to Honolulu, but E. R. Moore appeared to object to Mr. Harris' increase from $1,200 to $25,000.

"He has only a little money," said Mr. Moore.

"I know that, but his wife has plenty of money," returned Mr. Upham. "She is the daughter of Jesse Spalding." The assessment will stand unchanged.

When the large cases heard during the day were passed on last night the reviewers allowed reductions in thirty-nine, the total decrease being $1,960,675. Increases on sixteen firms and individuals were $170,540, leaving a net decrease of $1,810,135, and, with many small reductions, sending this total to the $2,000,000 mark.

Decisions of Reviewers.

Among the more important cases of reductions were the following:

	Assessors' val.	Reviewers' val.
Reid, Murdoch & Co.	$1,200,000	$1,000,000
Forest Home Warner & Co.	1,400,000	1,200,000
Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co.	184,000	97,100
Belt Line Transfer and Storage Co.	60,000	8,000
Hayden Bros.	40,000	20,000
Foreman Shoe Co.	75,000	50,000
Iroquois Iron Co.	35,000	250,347
Charles L. Bartlett	50,000	15,301
Chicago Wall Paper Mills	35,000	17,500
United States Sugar Refinery	26,000	9,125
Illinois Leather Co.	40,000	19,000
South Side Elevated R. R. Co.	1,000,000	Not incr.
Maxwell Bros.	45,000	10,000
Huyler's Candy	25,000	7,000
Kuehnle & Rothschild	40,000	18,000
A. Bishop & Co.	40,000	21,200
H. F. Shatter Co.	30,000	15,000
American Shot and Lead Co.	90,000	44,941
Alfred Peats & Co.	75,000	53,000
Silberman Bros.	100,000	50,000
James Cunningham Sons' Co.	100,000	50,000
Studebaker Bros.	200,000	137,800
Western Electric Co.	2,750,000	2,250,000
Central Lumber Co.	75,000	27,000
Hamilton Organ Co.	80,000	40,000
John W. Masury & Son	60,000	30,000
Charles T. Wilt	25,000	10,000
May, Stern & Co.	60,000	30,000
Western Tel. Construction Co.	40,000	20,000
Chicago Packing Box Co.	80,000	71,500

The larger increases spread follow:

	Assessors' val.	Reviewers' val.
Joseph Harris	$ 750	$ 10,000
W. P. Rend & Co.	40,000	45,000
Prige Baking Powder Co.	85,000	105,000
J. W. Gaver Saddlery Co.	2,850	10,000
T. C. Loucks & Co.	8,000	20,000
Lehigh Valley Coal Co. (four places)	25,500	41,500
Crescent Coal and Mining Co. (four places)	70,500	76,000
Crerar, Clinch & Co.	18,000	30,000
Weaver Coal Co.	26,000	50,000
Boyd, Stickney & Co.	40,000	50,000
Alexander Hannah	3,000	15,000
O'Gara, King & Co.	3,500	10,000
Frank C. Weber & Co.	2,000	10,000

Assessments levied by the Assessors were confirmed in the following cases:

Standard Oil Co (eight places)	$ 102,400
Frank O. Lowden	125,000
National Tube Co.	25,000
A. Geddes	55,000
Coxe Bros. & Co.	275,000
American Linseed Co. (five places)	1,500,000
E. Buckingham	150,000
Ajax Forge Co.	150,000
American Hide and Leather Co. (four places)	650,000

Railways Plead Non-Residence.

The Assessors questioned officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad during the day in an effort to find stocks, bonds, and other taxable persona) property. It was contended that the company's general offices are in Milwaukee. Legal opinion will be secured before this problem is settled. Agent May of the Wisconsin Central made practically the same argument for that railroad.

Noble B. Judah, appearing for the South

INVADER BEST IN LIGHT BREEZE

Canadian Boat Wins Second Cup Race by Six Minutes Twenty-two Seconds.

PROCESSION ALL THE WAY

Handling of Cadillac Is Criticized, the Crew Being Kept Too Far Aft.

LESS CONFIDENCE IS FELT.

OFFICIAL TIME.

Start.....11 a. m.

WINDWARD BUOY.

Invader.....12:58:35
Cadillac.....1:08:02

FINISH.

Invader.....2:08:00
Cadillac.....2:14.—

Invader won by 6 minutes 22 seconds.

The breezes will be light and variable, blowing mainly from the east. The temperature will be slightly higher than yesterday, and the sky clear.
H. J. COX.

Invader won the second of the series of yacht races for the Canada's cup yesterday, defeating Cadillac by a margin of six minutes and seventy-two seconds, and tying the score.

The course was nine knots to windward and return. It rather was intended to be which. Yet shortly after the start the wind commenced to shift, and finally stopped in the northeast, making the race a close reach to the outer buoy and a free wind back with balloooners set.

It was altogether Invader's day. Picked for a light weather craft the Canadian made a showing that fully satisfied those who pronounced it a dangerous competitor in smooth water and light airs. Cadillac was beaten in every point and only once in the whole race was the defender sailing faster than the challenger. When approaching the outer buoy with a freshening breeze and in better trim than before, Cadillac settled down to business and for a time overhauled the leader. This only lasted for a short time. Invader took the first at the start and held it until the finish, and increased the lead for every mile sailed, until at the close over a mile and a quarter separated the yachts.

Criticise Skipper Thompson.

Amateur skippers were again inclined to criticise the handling of the American boat. For a long time, while beating to windward, Cadillac's crew was kept too far aft and the boat's bow, consequently, with the boat on anything but an even keel. This caused a drift to leeward that was marked at times, and Cadillac sailed heavily and made a great fuss in the little swells that rolled in from the lake. Skipper Thompson made the mistake of sailing in the suction of the drainage canal at the mouth of Chicago River, apparently not knowing.

Invader went to windward like a witch and was within half an hour from the outer buoy. On the run home Cadillac lost apparently, a gain should Being astern of Invader, constantly freshening breeze, secured a gain on the last two miles of nearly two minutes was replaced by the latter. This was credited to the crew being again massed too far aft.

Yesterday was a better day for the spectators than Saturday, if not for the racers. The wind blew soft over the lake and seasickness was unheard of. The steam yachts Tristram Vallima, Pathfinder, and Truant of Detroit and the steamers Bradwell, Burke, and Lee of the Chicago Yacht club were the escort. Morrill followed the course, and the starting of sailing yachts at the finish was large. Commodore Gooderham of Toronto was a guest of F. W. Morgan on Pathfinder, and Commodore Shaw of Detroit was invited by General Newberry to sail in Truant.

Four Challenges Ready.

The winning of yesterday's race by Invader has caused the American yachtsmen to lose much of the confidence they have had that the cup was destined to remain in Chicago another year. If Cadillac wins the series there will ensue a race of would-be challengers which will be almost as interesting as the Shamrock-Columbia contests. Four challenges have been drawn up and are now in the pockets of men who stand ready to hurl them at the heads of Commodore Gooderham and Captain Jarvis the moment they touch the dock from the last race, in the event that Cadillac loses the series. One is in the hands of Commodore Alexander McLean of Detroit, Charles Van Voohis of the Rochester Yacht club has a second, the Columbia Yacht club of Chicago is ready with a third, and E. C. Hayward of Utica is ready to issue the challenge on behalf of a fellow member of the Chicago Yacht club, who wants to build a forty-footer for a race off Toronto. It is urged that the forty-footer makes a better class to build than the thirty-five-foot boats now being sailed, for the reason that they are more seaworthy and make better cruisers.

The present races will become famous from the actions of the two scrutineers. Usually a scrutineer hunts a comfortable spot on the deck of the boat he is assigned to and tries to keep out of the way of the crew. His position is supposed to be perfectly neutral. But Herbert Nash, who is watching Invader for the Detroit Yacht club, and George F. McRae, sailing on board Cadillac, found that there was too good sailers to sit idle in a race, and on Saturday morning they shook hands over an agreement that each should do his best to make the boat he is sailing on win.

At the meeting of the Athletic club on Saturday night, when both crews were present, Captain Jarvis in a speech told the Chicago Yacht club members that Cadillac was the best hand he had in the crew. Captain Thompson paid McRae an equally good compliment, and the match will go down in history as the race of the "working scrutineers."

The third race starts this morning at 11 o'clock over the triangular course sailed on Saturday. The direction of the first leg will be determined just before the start.

Details of the Race.

From the time the crews gathered on the decks of their boats after breakfast yesterday it was apparent the day's sailing was to be a striking contrast to Saturday's race, and all preparations were made for a day in light winds. The breeze outside was fickle, holding in one quarter but a few minutes at a time, and the surface of the basin was lifeless.

Before 10 o'clock both boats were away and standing slowly for the gap in the breakwater at Van Buren street. Once outside they drifted about, with scarce enough air to fill the sails, and the dead swell left from Sunday's wind rolled them about, slatting canvas and rigging together. It was a sheer guessing to say where the day's wind was to come from, and the judges were perplexed as Thistle got its anchor aboard and steamed for the starting line. The first gun was fired at 10:30 o'clock, whereupon the skippers set their watches and watched the blue racing flag, hoisted, which signified that the boats were to leave all marks to starboard. At 10:50 o'clock, when the warning gun was fired, the wind was east-southeast, and this direction was megaphoned to the contestants as the course for the day.

Invader had decidedly the better of the start. Both boats were leaning to the line when the gun was heard, with little way. They bobbed over the line together, Cadillac a shade to the lead, as with favorable veil to weather, which position Captain Jarvis held to all through the first leg. Inch by inch, and, as the wind commenced to come in little spits, foot by foot, Invader worked by Cadillac, footing faster and all the time getting farther to windward. The water was like glass, with little patches of ripples where the wind came down to the surface, but it was only a few minutes after 11 o'clock when Invader was in a position to get all of those little puffs before Cadillac found them, and the Canadian boat drew ahead constantly.

The yachts were standing northward on the starboard tack, and there was scarcely headway on them at times. Invader was performing wonders, every one agreed, and there was probably no boat that sailed in the trial races, except perhaps Milwaukee, that could have kept with the Canuck on the first half of the outer stretch.

Twenty minutes of this was all Captain Thompson could stand, and Cadillac came about. Invader followed at 11:22. Cadillac had sailed north until it met the suction at the mouth of the Chicago River, apparently, for it had commenced to drift to leeward noticeably. Invader, farther out in the lake, had not felt the current so strongly, but Jarvis believed in sticking closely to his opponent when he had him to leeward, and would not split tacks.

Cadillac was apparently suffering from having the crew trimmed too far aft. In spite of having some fixed ballast shifted into the bow when the yacht was measured, the crew in the cockpit put the boat down by the stern, and the bow lifted at times so that the bottom was out of water to a point almost under the mast. Cadillac met the swells heavily and seemed lifeless. Invader, on the contrary, went along on an even keel, bowing easily to every oncoming swell and making almost no fuss. Half an hour from the start Cadillac was beaten, and at no time afterward was the situation changed.

Wind Stops Shifting.

Meanwhile the wind went steadily northward, finally stopping in the northeast. From standing four points off the course the yachts headed gradually toward it, finally starting sheets and sailing toward the stake boat with the wind a half point free. When Thistle steamed out from the harbor, logging the course, it went to leeward of the racers, and they paid off and followed. From its higher position Invader ran down for the mark with a freer wind than Cadillac, and gained something in this.

Captain Thompson had learned the cause of Cadillac's poor behavior by this time, and put two men on the lee side forward of the mast. Cadillac settled down to business immediately and footed faster than before, making much better work of the little seas, and for a time gained on Invader. The change came too late. Had the course been a thrash dead to windward, which would have doubled the distance to be covered on the first leg, Cadillac might have overtaken Invader, but the time was too short. Invader's lead was cut down materially, however, for the time.

Passing the Outer Mark.

The judges planted the outer stake at 12:52 o'clock, and 12:58:35 Invader gybed around it, breaking out the balloon jib, which had been hoisted in stops just before the stake was reached. The wind was almost abeam and was freshening steadily. Cadillac gybed around the mark at 1:08:02 and the crew broke out their big balloon in better time than the Canadians. It was a handsome sail and drew better than Invader's, beside being much larger. Chicago yachtsmen took heart when they noted the freshening wind and the big sail and prophesied Cadillac would cut down the gap enough to make a close finish. But again Cadillac's crew crowded aft and Invader gained with every mile. Cadillac's balooner was taken in after ten minutes and the small balloon jib went up in its place. A half hour later the larger sail was put back. The result was all the same.

Down came Invader with the wind abaft the beam and shot over the line at 2:08:00 winner of the second event. Cadillac came along at 2:14:22. The waiting steamers whistled the Canadian challenger with just as much heartiness as they did Cadillac on Saturday, and a half dozen tugs at the life saving station took up the steamy cheer when they understood Invader had won. The steamers up the river added their noise, and even mills on the north pier chimed in. Cadillac received as good a welcome when it finished.

Invader won the first leg by four minutes 27 seconds and added 1 minute 55 seconds on the home run, making a total gain of 6 minutes 22 seconds over its opponent's time.

Canadians Are Modest.

The Canadians took their victory as quietly as they did their defeat of Saturday. They received the congratulations modestly, and said their good showing was due to the fact that their boat had found suitable weather. They insisted that the race spoke for itself without any discussion.

"It was our day," remarked Commodore Gooderham, as he disembarked from a dinger at the landing.

"The whole matter can be summed up in a nutshell," said Edward Rosing of the Canada's cup committee. "Cadillac can beat Invader any time in a heavy wind and sea. Invader can win over Cadillac in light winds and smooth water. What we want now is a day when weather conditions strike a medium, say a fifteen-mile wind and a moderate sea, then we will see a race on even terms. Invader, with long, fine lines, a shallow hull, and liberal sail spread, is a wonderful boat in light winds, perhaps the most wonderful light weather boat of its size ever sailed on the lakes. Cadillac is broad and powerful, carrying sail well in a breeze, and making wonderful work in a sea. In my opinion when the weather conditions are known the result of the race can be told before the start, unless one of the boats meets with an accident."

GLENS FALLS' OPENING CARD.

First Race of Grand Circuit Meet Requires Seven Heats to Decide—Armoret the Winner.

Glens Falls, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Lowering skies reduced the attendance at the opening day of the grand circuit meet today. The first race, the American, for 2:12 pacers, required seven heats to decide. At the opening Armoret was favorite in the betting, but Balmy L. soon came to the front, after which she and Armoret were about even. The 2:24 pace called out nine starters. New Richmond won in easy fashion. Summaries:

2:12 pace, The American, purse $1,800:

Armoret, gr. m., by Don Pizarro (A. P. McDonald)	1	2	2	2	1	1	1
Balmy L., b. m. (Turner)	2	5	5	1	2	4	2
Jack Harting, b. g. (Sayles)	4	3	1	3	6	3	3
Hawkeye, ch. g. (Valentine)	3	1	4	4	3	2	4
Don Riley, b. g. (Hudson)	5	6	6	4	3	ro	
Tonetto, ch. m. (Merrill)	6	4	3	5	4	ro	
Time—2:12¼; 2:11¾; 2:11¾; 2:13½; 2:14¼; 2:15¾; 2:17¾.							

2:24 class, pace, the Suburban, purse $1,500:

New Richmond, gr. h., by Brown Hal (Benedict)	1	1	1
John H., b. g. (Munson)	4	2	2
Tommy Mc., g. g. (McCarty)	3	3	3
John R. Potts, b. g. (Turner)	2	4	5
Rajah, b. g. (Welch)	5	5	4
Miss Irma, g. m. (Burch)	6	ro	
Stark, Tiger, and Louisa G. distanced.			

Time—2:11¾; 2:11¾; 2:15¾.

2:25 class, trotting, the Breeders', 3-year-olds, purse $1,000:

Melton, b. c., by Allerton (Young)	1	1	
Hawthorn, rn. f. (Wilson)	2	2	

Time—2:28½; 2:23½.

SMASH LOCAL GOLF RECORDS.

Figures for Six Courses Lowered in One Week, Two of Them by Amateur Players.

Six records were lowered last week on the local golf courses, the latest being a 77 by Christie, the Riverside professional. Using one of the new balls he made the first round of his home course in 38, and the second in 39. His figures are the lowest for the double round, although he has made 38 in a single round previously. His drives averaged 225 yards. The other course records broken were: Homewood, by Ashley Dixon: Onwentsia, by Walter Smith; Hinsdale, by E. B. Bliss and H. K. Allen; Skokie (amateur) by G. H. Leslie, (professional) by James Griffis.

With the records going thus rapidly, it is hard to conjecture what will happen to the established figures for the Midlothian course next week when the best amateurs and professionals of the West meet. The Midlothian Country club, with its usual generosity, has donated several handicap cups to be played for at the end of the week.

At Belmont yesterday the home caddies defeated a team of caddies from Hinsdale by 14 up, winning a set of clubs donated by Herbert J. Tweedie for the match.

This afternoon the Hinsdale team will play at Edgewater golf links, tennis courts, and other outdoor games. The officers are: President, Simon W. Straus; Vice President, Sidney B. Cahn; secretary, S. H. Six; treasurer, Robert Schaffner. These and the following comprise the directors: Isaac H. Mayer, Hugo Fam, Eli B. Felsenthal, W. N. Eisendrath, C. A. Stonehill, O. J. Freidman, Herbert Hart, Norman Florsheim, Julius Weir, and Leo Straus.

OLD BOAT BEATS THE NEW

CONSTITUTION LOSES BY A MISTAKE IN SAILING.

Columbia, Through Advantage of Time Allowance, Beats America's Cup Defender in a Thirty-Mile Brush Off Newport—Captain Rhodes, with His Craft Apparently a Sure Winner by a Comfortable Margin, Loses Time in a Fruitless Tack.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 12.—Constitution covered the triangular course of thirty miles today in thirty-three seconds less time than Columbia. The champion of 1899, however, wins the race on a time allowance by about thirty seconds.

No corrected time can be given, as the boats have not yet been remeasured as requested. In previous races Constitution had allowed Columbia one minute and seventeen seconds. What change in measurement the new rig of Constitution has made is not known, but it is estimated that it now allows the old boat only a few seconds less time, if any.

The finish today was the noteworthy and only exciting feature of the contest. When within a mile of the finish Constitution made a short tack that undoubtedly lost the race. Both boats were coming in close hauled on the starboard tack, Constitution fully two minutes in the lead. The light wind had headed them a bit, and it was found that they could not fetch between the committee boat and the lightship. Constitution was pointing fairly well and making good speed, with a No. 2 jib topsail. Columbia, with a smaller jib topsail, was also coming fast, directly astern, and for the last forty minutes had been slowly creeping up.

But the line was now near at hand, and, barring mistake, Constitution looked a sure winner, well within the allowance. Not willing to leave well enough alone, however, Captain Rhodes suddenly put Constitution about on the port tack, crossed Columbia's bow, and immediately tacked again. While the new boat's sails were twice shaking in stays Columbia, still on the starboard tack, was bowling along at good speed, headed only a few hundred yards to the lee of the line. In the short time that Constitution was gathering headway after the last tack, Columbia reached through it and went ahead, though still slightly in the lee of the new boat.

Independence lay at its moorings here today, as it has done for a week. The rumor that the Lawson boat had been invited to meet Constitution and Columbia in the Larchmont races in the Sound has proved to be without foundation. It is said here that if Independence had been invited by either the Larchmont or Seawanhaka clubs, neither of the other two boats would have raced against it. Constitution will go to the races in the Sound on Thursday without any further alterations in its rig, as its manager declares it will round into shape better in its present condition.

WEED OUT TENNIS PLAYERS.

Second Day of the Aztec Tournament—Many Matches Go by Default—Collins Consents to Play.

The weeding out process continued in the second day of the Aztec tournament yesterday, there being no surprises. At the earnest solicitation of the club members, Kriegh Collins reconsidered his plans and played, winning an easy match from J. R. Ficklin. His match in the first round was forfeited to him. Collins was undecided whether he would continue throughout the tournament. He hopes to be able to play in the doubles with Waidner. The summaries:

Singles, preliminary round—Collins defeated J. R. Ficklin, 6—0, 6—0.

First round—Collins defeated A. S. Fuellgraff by default. W. L. Meyers defeated W. A. Fleet, 1—6, 6—4, 7—5. F. G. Becker defeated F. Cutler by default. J. R. Fleet defeated R. B. Carter by default. W. A. Viles defeated R. Irwin, 6—2, 6—2. L. H. Turner defeated H. W. Fiest by default. C. G. Bennett defeated H. E. Woodfallow by default.

Second round—F. Staley defeated B. Fargo, 4—6, 6—3, 6—3. J. B. Bush defeated R. P. Smith, 6—4, 6—1. L. H. Turner defeated W. A. Viles, 6—3, 6—4. J. F. Forstall defeated H. Hill, 6—1, 6—4. R. Jones defeated C. G. Blake, 6—2, 6—2. C. Baker defeated H. E. Patten, 6—2, 6—2.

Third round—R. A. Wilbrenner defeated P. Bench, 6—0, 6—0.

Doubles, preliminary round—McQuiston Brothers defeated Schlesinger Brothers, 6—3, 6—4. Morley and Staley defeated Field and Minsky, 6—2, 6—2. McFarland and Wilbrenner defeated Johnson and Smith, 6—4, 6—4. Fiest and Pierce defeated Trumbull and Fallon, 6—2, 7—5, 6—1.

First round—Patten and Zimmerman defeated Hill and Stokes, 6—2, 6—3, 8—6, 6—4. Baker and Bailey defeated Lee and Pierce, 6—2, 9—7 [unfinished].

Maroon Tennis Matches.

Play in the tennis tournament at the University of Chicago was resumed yesterday and resulted in some close and exciting matches. Professor Hobbs succumbed to P. D. McQuiston after a hard fight. The results:

P. D. McQuiston defeated G. Hobbs, 6—3, 8—6, 7—5.

H. Gore defeated A. P. Nelson, 6—4, 2—6, 6—2.

Professors Angell and Hobbs defeated Barker and Lee, 6—4, 6—0.

Bingham and Nelson defeated Vail and Hamburger, 6—4, 6—4.

CYCLE RECORDS FALL FAST.

Five-Mile Amateur Mark Is Lowered Twice in One Afternoon at the Pan-American Meet.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 12.—The international circuit meet of the National Cycling association was continued in the stadium today, the program being divided between professionals and amateurs.

The professional events were the quarter-mile circuit championship and the two-mile handicap. Four preliminary heats and two semi-finals of the quarter-mile were run off, Kramer, Lawson, Taylor, and Freeman qualifying for the semi-finals. Sidney Jenkins and T. C. Gascoyne, the English riders, failed to get places in their trial heats.

The sensations of the day began with the trials for records. Henshaw and Hedstrom of Springfield decided to go after the world's record, and succeeded in clipping 1 4-5 seconds off the best former mark, covering the distance in 1:18 2-5. G. W. Butler of Buffalo lowered the motor-bicycle record 7:16 2-5 to 6:18 for five miles.

Joe Fulton of Springfield, Mass., went after the five-mile amateur record. He succeeded in lowering the records for two and three miles established by Walter Smith, the four miles established by Dalke, and the five miles made by Nelson at Vailsburg on Saturday. Nelson's record was 8:13 1-5, and the speedy Springfield boy covered the distance in 8:02 1-5. Fulton's glory was short lived, however, for Walter Smith came out half an hour later and again established new marks for the four and five miles, his time being 6:17 and 7:53 respectively.

Nelson Outrides Moran.

New York, Aug. 12.—Johnny Nelson of Chicago and Jimmy Moran of Chelsea, Mass., in a fifteen-mile motor-paced race, were the principal attraction at the indoor cycling meet at Madison Square Garden tonight. Nelson had the better pacemaker and won easily by eight and a half laps in 26:47 2-5.

MAY STOP THE MUNCIE FIGHT.

Promoters Will Try to Pull Off Sprague-Bezenah Bout Tomorrow Night as a Sparring Match.

Muncie, Ind., Aug. 12.—Superintendent Cashmore of the police force has notified the promoters of the Muncie Interurban Athletic club that no more prize fights will be permitted at the clubhouse, and cold water has been thrown upon the proposed Sprague-Bezenah contest booked for tomorrow night. A large number of seats has been sold for the twenty-round engagement, and the promoters say it will come off as advertised, under the guise of a boxing match for points only. The police say they will have men there, and any show of brutality will cause the arrest of the principals.

Heretofore the police have remained away from the club for the reason that the building is outside the city limits, but an opinion from the Attorney General through the Governor came today informing these officers that it was their duty to stop prize fighting.

Fort Erie Winners.

First race—Merriment, Sprv, Dixie Queen.
Second race—Concertina, Mowitch, Bourbon.
Third race—Baronet, Filibuster, Orontas.
Fourth race—Shaw, Little Sallie, Exit.
Fifth race—Pharaoh, Hiway, Scorpio.
Sixth race—Gray Dally, All Saints, Free Lance.

Miscellaneous Games Yesterday.

At Goshen, Ind.—South Bend, 14; Rochester, 7.
At Lafayette, Ind.—Marquettes, 8; Lafayette, 2.

COMPROMISE IS BEING PLANNED.

Peace Negotiations Under Way Between Warring Baseball Factions.

LOCAL MAGNATES CONFER

Johnson and Hart Hold Important Session in National Leaguer's Office.

BOTH TALK PACIFICALLY

Negotiations for peace in the baseball world are on between President Ban Johnson, representing the American league, and James A. Hart, representing the National league.

This accounts for the recent conference in this city between Somers, Killilea, Gross, Comiskey, and Johnson, the hurried trip of Mr. Hart through the Eastern National league cities, and for the closeted interview between Hart and Barney Dreyfuss of Pittsburg at the West Side grounds on Sunday.

Incidentally, upon the success of the negotiations depends the post-season series of games between the White Stockings and the Remnants. Unless peace is secured it is said the National Board of Arbitration will not pass on the series, as President Hart will withdraw his defi, owing to his failure to get an acceptance from the White Stockings.

Ban Johnson was seen yesterday morning wending his way stealthily from the twelfth floor of the Fisher Building up to the fourteenth floor, where Mr. Hart holds forth. It was more than an hour later before he came forth. This visit, important just at a time when the rumors of wholesale raids are being circulated, is not the first interview between the magnates. It was known here that Hart and Johnson had conferred before the American league man's last trip East.

Later followed the announcement that the American league would put a club in St. Louis next season, and it was supposed the two leagues were farther apart than ever. Then Mr. Hart went East. The conference yesterday and the attitude of the magnates when questioned concerning the situation indicates that the "hen is still on." The difficulty now is to arrange a basis of compromise out of the many complications which have grown out of a disagreement of less than twelve months' standing. The most logical course seems to be to respect one another's contracts and let the other matters take care of themselves.

National Anxious, American Willing.

There seems no doubt that the National league is anxious for a compromise. Hart admits as much in manner, if not in words. The National league magnates have little to look forward to except a further invasion of St. Louis and New York and the spiriting away of other star players this winter and a boosting of salaries all along the line to keep the men who do not flop. The American league already has grounds leased in St. Louis, and that is one of the angles which may block the deal. In New York the plans have not gone so far, although the site for a park has been selected.

So far as making reprisals on the American league is concerned, most of the good players are under contract for more than one year, and the difference in the playing class of the two organizations is such that the margin of advantage is still with the older organization, although there are a number of promising young pitchers to tempt the National league fellows.

It was generally supposed that Ban Johnson and his associates were flushed with success and would hardly listen to any reasonable proposition for peace or even for a friendly working basis. Johnson's pacific utterances yesterday were therefore a surprise. There is an element in the American league which is opposed to a compromise or any peace proposition, fearing it might prevent the expansion of that body, which now seeks to strengthen its circuit. Baseball soothsayers would not have to do much guessing to know whom the opponents of peace are.

If President Johnson approved, however, and it seemed for the best interests of the league, it is probable this opposition could be overcome.

Magnates Discuss Situation.

President Hart, when asked yesterday concerning the probability of peace, said: "Although the National league is prepared to go along next season the same as now, I think some sort of an agreement would be to the best interests of organized baseball. The many differences may make it seem hard to agree, but it does not take much to turn the scale either way.

Ban Johnson's version of the affair is as follows: "While in some respects it might be better for us to go along as at present, for the public likes a fight, I dread a winter campaign. We have kept clean so far and intend to do so, but the bickering and scramble for players, charges and counter-charges will hurt the game. A baseball war rarely lasts two seasons—one or the other organization goes to the wall. It is probably better to compromise, but there are so many angles the situation is a trying one."

Expressions as lukewarm as the above from magnates pledged to secrecy mean much more than the words in cold type. Johnson and Hart are the two men of the warring factions most likely to agree, subject to a ratification by their respective leagues. Before the baseball war there were great personal friends, and even now each appears to have respect for the ability of the other. Thus the situation stands, with the welfare of baseball hanging partially in the balance.

ASKS THE REMNANTS TO SIGN.

President Hart Wants to Know Where His Employes Stand—Johnson Denies Wholesale Raid for Players.

Pending result of the peace negotiations between the National and American leagues President Hart of the local club is building his fences for next season so as not to be caught napping again.

At a certain time this fall his players will be asked to state where they stand, and if any show a tendency to coquette President Hart will take it for granted they are giving aid and comfort to the enemy and will look about for another man to fill the place. Hartsel, Waddell, Childs, McCormick, Dexter, and Kling called for mail yesterday morning and were told the conditions. A majority expressed their willingness to sign for next year.

"Topsy" Hartsel was one of those who admitted he was on the fence. The little outfielder has received an offer from the American league and admits it. He promised to give the local club a chance to bid for his services before signing elsewhere. Hartsel left yesterday for Indianapolis, where he will be married tomorrow to Miss Agnes Knapton of that city. He will join the Orphans at St. Louis on Thursday.

President Hart says no fancy salaries will be paid players to keep them from jumping, but all those entitled to raises will get them, although eighth position timber is not as valuable as that higher up in the race.

There were rumors yesterday of a wholesale raid on the Philadelphia National league club. Ban Johnson said he did not know what men had been signed and that he was sure some of those mentioned had not been approached, but that he did not doubt a few National league players had been secured for next year.

MANNING DENIES THE RUMOR.

Washington Magnate Says He Has Not Signed One of the Players Credited to Him—Yet.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Manager Manning of the Washington club, who is credited with a wholesale raid on the Philadelphia National league club, tonight denied he had signed either Delehanty, Flick, Wolverton, or any other Philadelphia player.

"I will admit," said Manning, "I am after half a dozen National league players. I am positive Washington will support a good club royally, and such a club I am determined to have. I want to emphatically deny, however, that I have signed any of the players mentioned. I have made overtures to half a dozen of the best National league players, but not in one instance have I received a promise or secured a signature.

"I make no secret of going after players. I have got to have them, and am going to have them if money will get them."

Comiskey Is Non-Committal.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Cleveland, O., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—"I doubt if the story of many players in the National league being signed by American league clubs for next season is true," said President Comiskey, tonight. "But I wouldn't be surprised if a good many of the stars of the National were considering coming over to us next year. It will be far easier for us to get them than it was last year. Almost anything may be expected this fall."

ST. LOUIS DEFEATS CINCINNATI.

Timely Bunching of Hits in Two Innings Gives the Game to Donovan's Men.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	63	35	.692	Boston	49	46	.483
Philad'phia	54	37	.593	New York	47	47	.477
St. Louis	49	40	.550	Cincinnati	45	47	.427
Brooklyn	45	44	.506	Chicago	37	61	.377

Yesterday's Result.

St. Louis, 8; Cincinnati, 3.

Games Today.

Boston at New York.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 12.—St. Louis won from Cincinnati on a timely bunching of hits in the fourth and eighth innings. Sudhoff allowed the Reds but eight safe hits, while Hahn was unsteady and failed at critical times. Score:

St. Louis	R	B	P	A	E	Cincinnati.	R	B	P	A	E
Burkett, lf	2	2	2	0	1	Dobbs, cf	0	1	0	1	0
Padden, 2b	1	3	3	3	0	Harley, lf	0	0	2	0	0
McGann, 1b	1	11	1	0	0	Beckley, 1b	1	13	0	1	
Dondvan, rf	0	2	1	0	0	Crawford, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Kruger, 3b	1	3	1	1	0	Magoon, ss	1	0	1	5	0
Nichols, cf	1	3	1	1	0	Steinfeldt, 3b	0	0	0	3	1
Schriver, c	0	7	1	1	0	Peitz, c	1	3	4	1	0
Sudhoff, p	0	0	0	4	0	Hahn, p	1	0	0	2	1
Totals	8	13	27	15	2	Totals	5	8	24	15	3

St. Louis	1	0	0	4	0	1	0	2	—8
Cincinnati	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—3

Two-base hits—Donovan, Kruger. Three-base hits—Donovan, Kruger. Home run—Padden. Hit by pitcher—By Hahn, 1. Double play—Nichols-McGann-Padden. Bases on balls—Off Sudhoff, 3; off Hahn, 3. Sacrifice hit—Nichols. Wild pitch—Hahn. Struck out—By Hahn, 2; by Sudhoff, 3. Stolen bases—McGann. Time—1:40. Umpires—O'Day and Brown.

Three Games Postponed.

The games scheduled yesterday for Boston at Brooklyn and New York at Philadelphia in the National league, and the Baltimore at Washington game in the American league were postponed on account of rain.

Three Eye League.

Terre Haute, 4; Rockford, 1.
Davenport, 11; Decatur, 8.
Bloomington, 4; Cedar Rapids, 2.
Evansville, 10; Rock Island, 7.

Western Association.

Columbus, 7; Wheeling, 1.
Fort Wayne, 5; Dayton, 4.
Toledo, 6; Marion, 2.
Grand Rapids, 6; Marion, 2.

Western League.

St. Joseph, 5; Denver, 2.

Southern Association.

Little Rock, 8; Memphis, 4.
Nashville, 11; Selma, 6.
Shreveport, 8; New Orleans, 4.

HACKLET WINS THE BALLSTON.

Hunters' Steeplechase at Saratoga Track a Four-Horse Affair, with Favorite a Distant Second.

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Today's races were run over a good track, and were witnessed by a large attendance, attracted by the Ballston, a hunters' steeplechase. The race was a four-horse affair, and was won by Hacklet, formerly owned in Canada.

Last Cord, the favorite, finished a distant second. Hacklet led all the way. He had speed to spare, jumped superbly, and the farther he went the farther he led. In going the two miles and a half he must have covered nearly 100 yards more ground than Last Cord. His superiority was so great that but little handling was emphasized it.

The first race, for maiden 2-year-old fillies and geldings, was won by Keynote after getting away last. John W. Schorr's Sarner won his third race at the meeting when he captured the second event. He was run up to $1,805, $305 above his entry price. Schorr then claimed Satire for $1,090.

Yankee's quality was conceded by all who witnessed the fourth race. O'Connor had a strong pull on him all the last furlong, while his followers were under pressure. It was a case of winning on the bit. John E. Madden now says: "Yankee will start in the Futurity, and the one that beats him will get the money."

A handicap of a mile and a sixteenth was won by Decanter, with Terminus, The Amazon, and Kilogram all driving. It was a fast race.

Saratoga Summaries Aug. 12.

Weather cloudy. Track fast.

First race, 5½ furlongs. $400 added, 2-year-olds, maiden.

Bet. Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fn.
12-1 Keynote, 114 (Cochran)	1	5½	6½	5½	1½
12-1 Institute, 114 (Gilbert)	2	1½	1½	2½	2½
30- Rockwater, 114 (Slack)	3	4½	4½	3½	3½

Time, 1:08 3-5. Pat., 114 pounds (McGinn); Royal Sue, 114 (Odom); Octoroon, 114 (Mounce); Josepha, 114 (Hooker); Queen's Messenger, 114 (Beauchamp); Caithness, 114 (McCue); Chickadee, 114 (O'Connor); Maxille, 114 (Spencer); Lady Godiva, 114 (N. Turner); Torchlight, 114 (Bullman). Also of My Eye, 101 (L. Smith); Wait a Minute, 114 (Brennan), finished as named. Winner, br. g., by Chorister—Rapture. Won driving. Keynote closed a tremendous gap and finished strongly.

Second race, ¾ mile. $500 added, 2-year-olds, selling.

Bet. Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fn.
6-5 Sarner, 108 (J. Woods)	3	3½	3½	1½	1½
20-1 Satire, 101 [Wonderly]	2	1½	2½	2½	2½
4-1 An of My Eye, 101 (L. Smith)	1	2½	1½	3½	3½

Time, 1:13 4-5. Connie, 99 pounds (Brennan); Bill Massie, 108 (O'Connor); Barbara Fritchie, 108 (Mounce); James Corbett, 108 (Richards); Malden, 96 [Downing]; Ante Up, 96 (Cochran); Chaos, 93 (Creamer); Anecdote, 96 (Donegan); Mark Hanna, 108 (McCue). Finished as named. Winner, ch. c., by Kingston—Park Ridge. Won driving. Sarner broke well and was ably ridden, but Wood, after getting the lead, let her go.

Third race, full course, about 2¼ miles. Hunters Steeplechase, the Ballston Stakes, value $1,100.

Bet. Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
2-1 Hacklet, 140 [Monahan]	3	2½	1½	1½	1½
3-1 Last Cord, 167 (G. Green)	1	3½	2½	2½	2½
9-2 Beechanal, 150 [Dayton]	2	3½	3½	3½	3½

Time, 6:22. Eophone, 142 pounds [Heider], also ran. Winner, b. f., by Hackler—Magnet. Won easily.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, $700 added, 2-year-olds.

Bet. Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fn.
6-5 Yankee, 110 (O'Connor)	1	1½	1½	1½	1½
8-5 Chilton, 115 (Shaw)	3	3½	3½	2½	2½
15-1 Distillate, 110 [Hamilton]	2	2½	2½	3½	3½

Time, 1:08 2-5. Belle's Commoner, 122 pounds (Caywood); King Hanover, 110 (Cochran); Gibson Light, 110 (Williams); Lady Viola, 107 (Mounce); Shandonfield, 112 (W. Taylor), finished as named. Bedlington, 110 pounds [Blair], left at the post. Winner, b. f., by Hanover—Correction. Won easily. Yankee outclassed the field and showed the way from start to finish, with O'Connor apparently confident throughout.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, $800 added, handicap.

Bet. Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fn.
7-2 Decanter, 108 [O'Connor]	1	4½	3½	3½	1½
3-1 Terminus, 114 [Bullman]	2	6	5½	1½	2½
9-2 The Amazon, 98 [Coakley]	3	1½	1½	2½	3½

Time, 1:46 2-5. Kilogram, 105 pounds [Wonderly]; Specific, 111 [J. Woods]; Kinnikinnick, 111 [McCue], also ran. Finished as named. Winner, b. h., by Deceiver—Maudlin. Won easily. Decanter always within striking distance of the leaders, was benefited by the terrific pace set and closed with a tremendous rush through the last furlong.

Saratoga Entries.

First race, 1¼ miles, over six hurdles—Charsgrace, 167 pounds; The Bachelor, 150; Gould, 150; The Chamberlain, 158; MacLeod, 147; Dare, 138; Mr. Stoffel, 135; Millstone, 135; Holland, 135; Salesman, 134; Miss Mitchell, 132

ODELL MOVES IN POLICE SCANDAL.

Governor Asks for Information Regarding Plot to Protect Poolrooms.

NO MORE ARRESTS MADE.

Ellis Island Employe May Prefer Charges Against Mrs. McKinley's Nephew.

GENERAL NEW YORK NEWS.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Aug. 12.

Gov. Odell Takes Hand in Police Scandal.

Governor Odell took a hand today in the police scandal and sent communications to District Attorney Philbin and Justice Jerome, asking for information in regard to the charges which have been published. Neither of the officials would make public the letter.

The District Attorney and Justice Jerome kept pounding away all day trying to get corroboration of the confession of Edgar A. Whitney, the go-between of the gamblers and the police. The day closed without the serving of any warrants, and it was said positively, without the issue of any. Wardman Glennon, for whom it was reported a warrant had been issued on Saturday, returned from Saratoga and advertised his presence in the city, but he did not appear at the Criminal Court Building, either as a prisoner or of his own volition.

At least four witnesses were examined in the Special Sessions chambers. There were persons mentioned in one way or another by Whitney in his confession. The object of their appearance was to get them to corroborate the statements of Whitney. It was understood that the success attending this process was not gratifying.

Police Commissioner Murphy said today he did not feel called upon to take the initiative in any investigation of Deputy Commissioner Devery's or Wardman Glennon's connection with the "tipping off" of policemen. He had asked District Attorney Philbin, he said, to make a prompt and forcible prosecution of both men in case the evidence in the District Attorney's possession indicated they were guilty.

Some of the leading poolroom men in this city have built "a gambler's paradise" in Mashpath, Long Island. Not only one house but many houses have been built there by them for the special purpose of conducting a poolroom business. Every one of these houses was running wide open today, and bets ranging from $1 to $1,000 could easily be made on the result of the races at Saratoga or Chicago.

Today was a harvest day for handbook men in this city. They sprung up at every corner where there was a saloon or cigar store, and did a great business on the races at Saratoga, St. Louis, and Chicago.

George R. Bissert, the police wardman who was convicted recently for accepting a bribe as protection money, was sentenced today to five and one-half years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $1,000. Bissert's attorney gave notice of an appeal. Later his attorney secured a temporary stay.

Summaries Aug. 12.

1 track fast.

1 mile, purse $400, 2-year-olds, maid-

[illegible] Jockey. St. 1/4 1/2 Str. Fin.
[illegible] Dominick] ..3x 6h 7h 1° 1° 1°
[illegible] (J. Wind) 6h 5h 5x 7x 5x 3x
[illegible] ton pounds [J. Mathews]
[illegible] Alexander] ..1 1 1 2 2 2
[illegible] Ermack, 106 (Harshbarger)
[illegible] Broadway, 106 (Conroy)
[illegible] [Otis] ..Azarian, 111 (Dauer)
[illegible] [T. the Stewards] 108 (Sea-
[illegible] [J. Wilson] ..Fitzpatrick
[illegible] [R. Steele] ..finished as named.
[illegible] & Junbiuth's b. f. by Pan-
[illegible] in a canter. Peronia, also
[illegible] came away in the stretch as she

[illegible] mile, purse $400, selling:
[illegible] Jockey. St. 1/4 1/2 Str. Fin.
[illegible] 106 [T. Knight] 2x 2x 2x 2x 1°
[illegible] [Alexander] ..1x 1x 1x 1x 2x
[illegible] 106 [Worthington] ..3x 3x 3x 3x 3x
[illegible] 106 [Clay] ..4x 4x 4x 4x 4x
[illegible] [Hoge's ch. g., by Flatianus-
[illegible] Flatland laid second un-
[illegible] during the last quarter, where he
[illegible] beat her handily.

[illegible] mile, purse $400, 2-year-old
[illegible] Jockey. St. 1/4 1/2 Str. Fin.
[illegible] 107 [T. Knight] 2x 1x 1x 1x 1°
[illegible] 107 [J. Ranch] 1x 2x 2x 2x 2x
[illegible] sarque, 102 pounds [R. Sulli-
[illegible] Tom Walker, 107 pounds [J.
[illegible] ed as named. Winner, A. Sis-
[illegible] Insolsby—Sankara. Won easily.
[illegible] Time, 1:04. Mr. Mitchell was never in
[illegible] from start to finish.

[illegible] 16 miles, purse $500, selling:
[illegible] Jockey. St. 1/4 1/2 Str. Fin.
[illegible] 106 [T. Knight] 3x 3x 3x 3x 1°
[illegible] [Alexander] ..2x 2x 2x 2x 2x
[illegible] [Dominick] ..1x 1x 1x 1x 3x
[illegible] Franklin, 104 pounds [Otis]
[illegible] [J. Ranch] [R. Preston]
[illegible] Labor, 101 [Gormley] Knight
[illegible] [J. Winkfield] ..finished as named. Win-
[illegible] ch. g., by Hermence—Grecia.
[illegible] Hermencia finished strongly and
[illegible] spring in a good position for

[illegible] mile, purse $400, selling:
[illegible] Jockey. St. 1/4 1/2 Str. Fin.
[illegible] 102 [Otis] ..2x 2x 2x 2x 1°
[illegible] 106 [Wes] ..3x 3x 3x 3x 2x
[illegible] [J. Ranch] ..1x 1x 1x 1x 3x
[illegible] Knight, 94 pounds [Gorm-
[illegible] [T. Knight] ..finished as named.
[illegible] 102 [W. Sullivan] ..Hylo,
[illegible] Sullivan, 86 [L. A. Jackson],
[illegible] Arthur's b. f. by Winner's B. M.
[illegible] Ou Do. Won driving. Lazarus
[illegible] also finished fast on the inside
[illegible] hasky race.

Harlem Entries.

[illegible] mile, 2-year-olds, maidens, colts

[illegible] 110 Mihara ..107
[illegible] 110 Landseer ..107
[illegible] 110 Bonnell City ..107
[illegible] 110 Simoon ..107
[illegible] 110 Digby Bell ..107
[illegible] 110 Italian ..107
[illegible] 110 Aahbrook ..107

[illegible] mile, selling:
[illegible] 108 Alle H. ..102
[illegible] 108 Little Duchess II ..107
[illegible] 106 School for Scandal ..107
[illegible] 107 Mountebank ..99
[illegible] 106 Pirate's Queen ..99
[illegible] 106 Telephone Girl ..99
[illegible] 102 Natural Gas ..90
[illegible] 102 About ..

[illegible] selling, handicap:
[illegible] 110 Canmore ..98
[illegible] 106 Ormsby ..93
[illegible] 106 ..

[illegible] mile, 2-year-olds, the Aspirant
[illegible] lded:
[illegible] 118 Commission'r Forster ..110
[illegible] 115 Woodwink ..110
[illegible] 115 Pyrrho ..110
[illegible] 112 Emathion ..107

[illegible] mile and 70 yards:
[illegible] 100 Ben Battle ..91
[illegible] 90 Anthracite ..86
[illegible] 90 ..

[illegible] mile, selling:
[illegible] 107 Banish ..101
[illegible] 107 Van Hoorebeke ..96
[illegible] 107 Miss Lisa ..94
[illegible] 107 Evelyn Byrd ..94
[illegible] 102 Brief ..

...e of the Track.

...eturned from Windsor yesterday, ...who was tossed by Hone Setter in ...escaped injury.

...elated to ride Mondoro in the last ...not make the weight, 106 pounds, ...stituted.

...terday sold his crack steeple- ...r, to Home Respass for a good ...price was said to be $4,000, but ...

...better known as "Busy Jimmy," ...Canada after the present Harlem ...by John Condon to secure the ...ers" in the Dominion.

...ries at $20 each were made for ...Marion today, which looks as ...prosperous condition around ...ner. In addition, the first race ...trian at $10 each.

Trotting Goes Over.

...g. 12.—The first day's trotting ...as scheduled for today at ...has been postponed on account ...An effort will be made to com- ...program tomorrow.

...and Matched.

...12.—Floyd A. McFarland and ...were matched today to meet in ...-pace race at Madison Square ...night.

Governor Odell Takes Hand in Police Scandal.

May Ask Trial of Mrs. McKinley's Nephew.

Girl Attacked by Eight Men.

Thieves Loot Home of Rich Widow.

Woman Says Man Held an Ape for Ransom.

To Present First American Grand Opera Nov. 4.

Sues Directors of Seventh National.

Names Receiver for General Carriage Company

Hat Trust Soon to Be Incorporated.

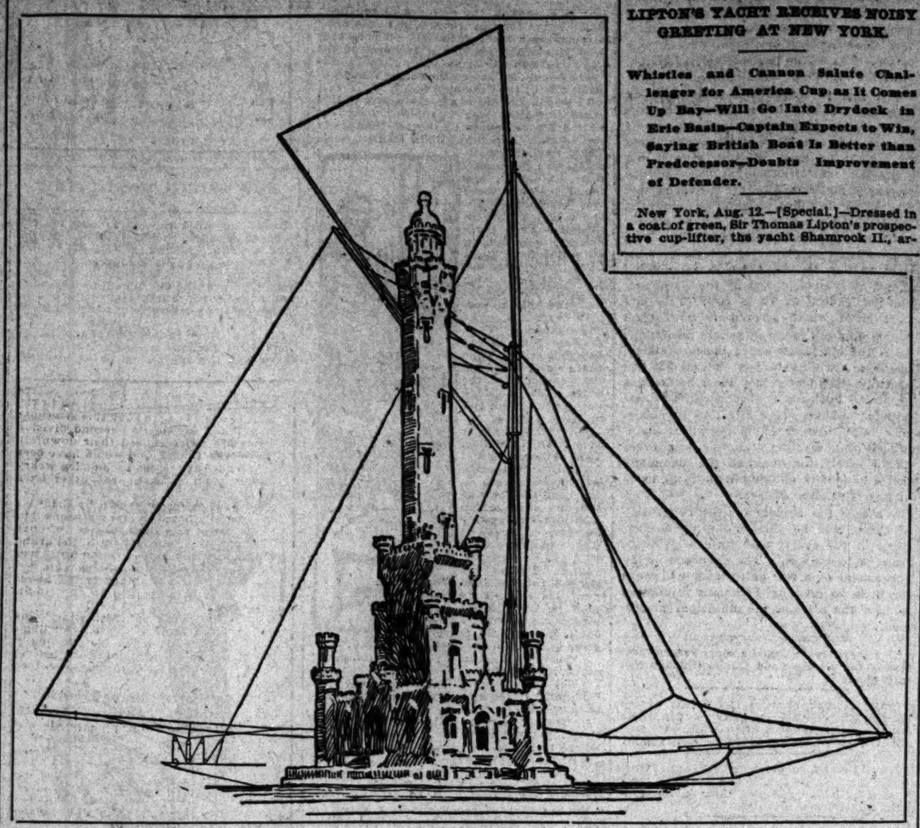
Fictitious Stock Turns Joke on Brokers.

Says Wakeman's Appointments Were Illegal.

New Police Order Goes Into Effect.

Offers Reward for Burglars, Dead or Alive.

SHAMROCK II. AT A GLANCE.



Sail plan of the English cup racer now at New York, drawn in comparison with the Chicago avenue water works tower, which is 136 feet high.

WELCOME TO SHAMROCK II.

LIPTON'S YACHT RECEIVES NOISY GREETING AT NEW YORK.

Whistles and Cannon Salute Challenger for America Cup as It Comes Up Bay—Will Go Into Drydock in Erie Basin—Captain Expects to Win, Saying British Boat Is Better than Predecessor—Doubts Improvement of Defender.

New York, Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Dressed in a coat of green, Sir Thomas Lipton's prospective cup-lifter, the yacht Shamrock II., arrived in this port early this morning in the mist and rain. All Sunday night, in a sea made choppy and rough by a strong east wind, it lay at anchor off the Sandy Hook lightship, awaiting the light of morning to come into port.

It was a disappointment to David Barrie, Mr. Lipton's representative, that the tug James A. Lawrence, on which he had lain outside Sandy Hook since Saturday, should not be the one to tow Shamrock II. in. It was spoken by another tug just four minutes before the Lawrence arrived, and Captain Edward Sycamore of Shamrock II., not knowing Mr. Barrie was awaiting him, made an agreement with the tug Robert Haddon.

As Shamrock was getting its anchor aboard the steam pilot boat New York made a complete circle about it, shrieking its welcome with its siren whistle and again with its regular whistle. The yacht dipped its colors in response, and from that time until it lay at anchor off Tompkinsville, Staten Island, one of the deckhands was at the halyards all the time busily answering the welcomes of other boats.

Thousands Salute Racer.

Two salutes, twice three whistles, was necessary from steam vessels that passed the racer, for Erin was close by it all the way. As Shamrock II. entered the ship channel, through which it was necessary for it to pass because of its great draft, it broke out the private flag of Sir Thomas Lipton and its own private number in the Royal Ulster Yacht club—S. M. R. K. A moment later Erin followed suit, raising the American flag at its fore peak, the private flag of Sir Thomas Lipton at its main peak, and its private number—K. M. C. B. The yachts joined each other at the southwest spit and passed in the harbor from that point together. They reached quarantine at 7:50 and both dropped anchor off Tompkinsville.

The Crescent Athletic club fired three guns of welcome from its boathouse on the shore at Bay Ridge. The Staten Island Yacht club barked forth its welcome, and two other clubs on Staten Island fired guns almost simultaneously.

Just as the anchor of Erin reached bottom the big steamer Sandy Hook came along, crowded with people coming to their business in this city. It came close to Shamrock II., sounding its welcome so close that not only the shouts of the passengers were distinctly audible, but their words as they cried "Welcome, Shamrock," "Good luck," and then gave three cheers for the Irish craft.

Shamrock II. looks neat, although its paint has been knocked off both bows. It rides the water like a duck, swinging and swaying with every movement of the waves, the flush deck still keeping well above the tide. It made the voyage in jury sloop rig, carrying only a small mainsail, a topsail, and two staysails.

Expects to Lift the Cup.

Speaking of the voyage across the Atlantic, Captain Matthews said: "We had practically an uneventful trip. The wind was favorable almost all the way, and was not stiff enough to strain Shramrock II. In the fifteen days that have past since we left Greenock on July 27, we sailed 3,769 miles. Shramrock II. towed easily. On August 4 we had wind heavy enough to break two sheets of the sloop's topsails. That was the only accident that occurred.

"It is too early to predict we will win the cup. I can only say I think so. We have been watching the performances of your vessels, and believe we have nothing much more formidable than Columbia, our old rival, to meet. Indeed, to British minds, it is doubtful if Constitution is the better boat. In Shramrock I believe we have a much better boat than we had when we came over here before, however."

Both vessels will go into dry dock at Robbins' shipyard in Erie Basin. Their hulls will be scraped and they will be repainted. Shamrock arrived in Erie Basin shortly before 4 o'clock.

Lipton to Sail on Wednesday.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Sir Thomas Lipton and Designer Watson will sail for New York on the White Star line steamer Teutonic Wednesday.

POLISH POLICEMEN'S SHOES FOR PEDDLERS' LICENSES.

Three Young Women in Short Skirts Sell Blacking in Evanston and Make Sport of Guardians of the Law.

Three young women of pleasing appearance, all wearing short skirts, were taken to the Evanston Police Station yesterday morning for selling shoe polish without a license. The police bought the license for them and permitted them to go without even a reprimand.

One of the girls asked to talk privately with the Captain, and as he came from behind the desk she cried, "O, wait a minute, Captain." As she spoke she knelt before him and started to polish one of his shoes. In a few minutes she arose and asked him if the polished shoe did not look nice.

"Have some polish? Only 25 cents a box," she said, and the Captain bought one. The other young women polished one shoe of each of enough policemen to secure $6, the price of three licenses.

They took the train for Chicago at 4 o'clock, saying that they had sold all their stock. They gave their names as Ella Corliss, Frances Dutton, and Mae Graves, and their address as Chicago.

FARM HAND GETS $11,000,000.

Peter Nelson Ogue Leaves Deadwood, S. D., to Take Fortune Which Has Waited Twenty-two Years.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—A fortune of $11,000,000 has been waiting Peter Nelson Ogue, a farm hand near this city, for the last twenty-two years. He dropped his last name when he left Denmark for America. He left Deadwood this morning for Denmark to take possession of his fortune.

Laborer Inherits $250,000.

Negaunee, Mich., Aug. 12.—Thomas Watts, a Cornishman, for twenty years a day laborer about the mines of this section, has received a legacy of $250,000 by the death of a sister in Cornwall, and has left to arrange the probating of the will.

Denies Reinstatement to J. A. Thomas.

Judge Tuley has denied the right of former Lieutenant Joseph A. Thomas to reinstatement in the Police department. The Judge holds that Thomas was serving as a holdover at the time of his discharge and was not under the civil service rules, so that he cannot claim protection from summary dismissal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT ON CITY WATER.

GOOD — LAKE VIEW. USABLE — CHICAGO AVE. UNSAFE — 14TH ST. GOOD — HYDE PARK.

Lake View station supplies all territory north of Fullerton avenue. Chicago avenue station supplies all territory between Fullerton avenue and Kinzie street. Fourteenth street station supplies all territory between Kinzie and Thirty-ninth streets, and Hyde Park all territory south of Thirty-ninth street except the Stock Yards.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

Foreign mails will close at the Chicago Postoffice today as follows:

For Belgium, Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt, Greece, British India, and Cape Colony, 4:30 p. m.

For Bahama Isles, Guantanamo, and Santiago, Cuba, at 12 p. m.

For Cuba, via Tampa, 6 p. m.

For Jamaica, 12 p. m.

For Australia, Denmark, Germany, Great Britain, Ireland, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, and Sweden, 12 p. m., via N. Y. Aug. Victoria.

For France, S. S. La Bretagne, 12 p. m.

F. E. COYNE, Postmaster.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—Forecast for Tuesday and Wednesday:

Illinois, lower Michigan, upper Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, and Minnesota—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; light, variable winds.

Ohio and Indiana—Fair and warmer on Tuesday, Wednesday fair, variable winds.

North Dakota, South Dakota, and Nebraska—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, variable winds.

Place of observation.	Height of barometer.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation in 24 hours.	State of weather.
Time taken: Aug. 12, 8 p. m.						
Abilene	29.88	78	94	N.	Tr.	Fair
Albany	30.06	72	78	W.	....	Clo'dy
Alpena	30.04	66	70	S.E.	.04	Clo'dy
Atlantic	29.96	72	80	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Amarillo	29.90	80	82	S.E.	Tr.	Clear
Battleford	29.90	76	78	W.	....	Clear
Bismarck	29.92	70	76	W.	....	Clear
Buffalo	30.06	70	76	N.E.	....	Clear
Boston	30.08	64	70	N.E.	.02	Rain
Cairo	29.90	82	86	S.	.06	Fair
Calgary	29.84	70	74	E.	....	Fair
Charlotte	29.98	76	86	S.E.	.10	Clo'dy
Cheyenne	29.80	74	86	S.W.	....	Clear
Chicago	30.04	74	74	N.	....	Clear
Cincinnati	30.00	82	86	N.E.	....	Clear
Cleveland	30.02	74	80	N.	....	Clear
Concordia	29.94	84	90	E.	....	Clear
Davenport	30.00	82	86	N.E.	Tr.	Clear
Denver	29.86	74	88	S.W.	....	Clear
Des Moines	29.98	84	88	S.E.	....	Clear
Detroit	30.04	76	78	S.E.	....	Clear
Dodge City	29.88	84	92	S.E.	.14	Clear
Dubuque	30.00	82	86	S.E.	....	Clear
Duluth	29.90	80	84	S.W.	....	Clear
Eastport	29.90	62	68	S.W.	.08	Clo'dy
Edmonton	29.82	76	76	W.	....	Clear
Galveston	29.82	86	92	S.	....	Fair
Grand Haven	30.04	74	74	Calm	....	Clear
Green Bay	30.00	78	84	S.W.	.02	Clear
Helena	29.90	74	92	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	29.98	82	86	N.E.	....	Clear
Jacksonville	29.94	80	88	S.E.	....	Clear
Kansas City	29.90	86	92	E.	....	Clear
Kelvin	29.94	80	82	N.E.	....	Clear
Little Rock	29.88	86	88	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
Los Angeles	29.86	72	86	S.W.	....	Clear
Marquette	29.96	72	74	E.	....	Clear
Memphis	29.90	86	90	N.	....	Fair
Minnedosa	29.86	78	80	S.W.	....	Clear
Montgomery	29.88	86	92	N.	....	Fair
Montreal	30.06	66	74	W.	....	Fair
Nashville	29.94	76	80	E.	.84	Rain
New Orleans	29.86	78	88	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
New York City	30.04	72	76	N.E.	.54	Rain
Norfolk	30.00	78	88	N.W.	.02	Clo'dy
North Platte	29.92	78	88	S.E.	....	Clear
Oklahoma	29.90	82	82	E.	1.84	Clear
Omaha	29.92	86	88	S.E.	....	Clear
Qu'Appelle	29.92	72	76	E.	....	Clear
Palestine	29.86	88	96	N.	....	Clo'dy
Parkersburg	30.06	74	78	E.	Tr.	Clear
Philadelphia	30.02	74	76	E.	1.12	Rain
Pittsburg	30.00	74	76	N.	....	Clear
Qu'Appelle	29.84	76	78	N.W.	....	Clear
Rapid City	29.90	74	88	N.W.	.10	Clear
San Francisco	29.86	58	62	S.W.	....	Clear
St. Louis	29.94	88	92	N.E.	....	Clear
St. Paul	29.96	78	84	S.	....	Clear
Salt Lake City	29.90	86	88	N.W.	....	Clear
Ste. Marie	30.00	70	78	S.	....	Clear
Springfield, Ill.	29.98	84	86	E.	....	Clear
Springfield, Mo.	29.92	84	86	E.	....	Clear
Vicksburg	29.88	80	92	S.W.	.06	Clo'dy
Washington	30.02	74	80	E.	.72	Rain
Williston	29.92	80	84	N.	....	Clear
Winnipeg	29.84	74	82	N.	....	Clear

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Mansase, optician, 46 E. Madison street, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 72 degrees; 9 a. m., 71; 10 a. m., 72; 11 a. m., 74; 12 m., 76; 1 p. m., 78; 2 p. m., 76; 3 p. m., 80. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.53; 6 p. m., 29.50.

BUILDING PERMITS.

THE FOLLOWING PERMITS WERE ISSUED by the Building department yesterday:

Mark Owen, 2-story brick barn, 9 Union Park-pl. ..... $ 3,000

A. H. Hill & Co., 1-story frame cottage, 2327 Christiana-av. 1,100

Mary Sackett, 2-story brick dwelling, 5818 Prink-st. 2,800

L. Wolf Mfg. Co., 1-story brick addition, 738 Fulton-st. 1,500

William Schlichl, 1-story frame cottage, 11820 Avenue O. 1,700

J. T. Walsh, 2-story brick flat, 7040 Vernon-av. 2,800

F. E. Eastman, 2-story frame flat, 917 53d-pl. 1,000

H. Fangros, 2-story brick addition, 3648 Honore-st. 1,200

Charles Stemberg, 1-story frame cottage, 115 Roscoe-court. 1,800

John Henn, two 2-story frame flats, 922-924 Rosemont-av. 5,700

Sam Brown Jr. & Son, 2-story frame residence, 3147-67 Dover-av. 3,000

Sam Brown Jr. & Son, four 2-story frame residence, 3225-41 Dover-av. 12,000

Sam Brown Jr. & Son, three 2-story frame residences, 3235-41 Dover-av. 9,000

William C. Hoer, 1-story brick addition, 1354 Osgood-st. 1,000

Otto Hermann, 1-story brick addition, 534 Irving Park-blvd. 1,200

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued by the Health department yesterday:

Anderson, Elizabeth F., 80; 3250 Superior-st., Aug. 10.

Bosey, George, 44; 312 Clark-st., Aug. 7.

Colburn, Theodore, 50; 2910 Indiana-av., Aug. 10.

Cooper, Emma, 40; Presbyterian Hospital, Aug. 11.

Foerster, Maria, 40; 315 W. 16th-st., Aug. 10.

Fraser, Carolina A., 84; 82 Courtland-st., Aug. 10.

Gitka, Fritz, 59; 801 22d-st. Aug. 11.

Gilmesa, O. E., 56; 58 N. Kay-st., Aug. 11.

Gray, Annie, 40; 314 Morgan-st., Aug. 12.

Hickey, Patrick J., 41; 814 W. Madison-st., Aug. 10.

Ingram, Gladys M., 5; 590 Warren-av., Aug. 10.

Jack, Archibald, 77; 7106 Vincennes-av., Aug. 11.

Kabat, Mary, 1; 1150 Flournoy-st., Aug. 11.

Lutz, Edward W., 31; 75 Larrabee-st., Aug. 10.

Lawson, James F., 8; 4209 Princeton-av., Aug. 10.

Lasnowsky, Bertha, 30; 402 Maxwell-st., Aug. 12.

Landosky, Joseph, 24; 72 Cornell-st., Aug. 11.

Mack, Lizzie, 24; 2723 Armour-av., Aug. 12.

Nuetrol, Helena, 87; 426 W. 17th-st., Aug. 10.

Olsen, Amanda J., 21; 781 Campbell-av., Aug. 10.

Oleson, Marie, 45; 1247 24th-st., Aug. 7.

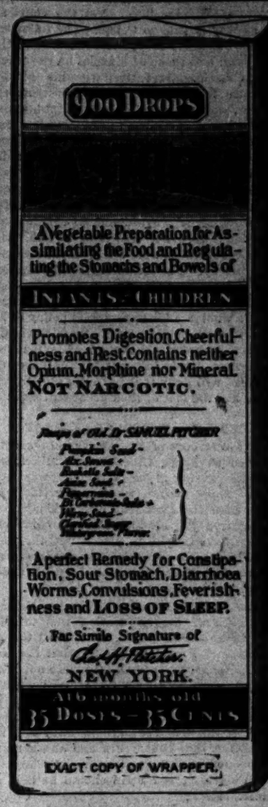
Parr, William G., 68; 1150 Sheridan road, Aug. 10.

Polewski, Jan, 60; 3216 Musgrat-st., Aug. 12.

Russell, Margaret M., 75; 5817 Washington-blvd., Aug. 10.

Robinson, Charles J., 24; 6122 Prairie-av., Aug. 11.

Ralth, Robert F., 53; 5132 Aberdeen-st., Aug. 11.



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Swanson, Jessie, 30; 6140 Wabash-av., Aug. 10.
Sletka, Mary, 56; 200 14th-pl., Aug. 11.
Schleta, Tom, 31; 1084 W. 70th-st., Aug. 11.
Schuetz, Nicholas, 41; 228 Hudson-av., Aug. 10.
Vint, Charlotte S., 26; 1672 Fletcher-st., Aug. 10.
Venne, Josephine, 40; 200 Ladin-st., Aug. 10.
Wah, Gel, 62; 388 Clark-st., Aug. 11.
Wood, Mary, 40; 1 Wells-st., Aug. 10.
Walsh, John, 7; 543 Duncan Park, Aug. 10.

DEATHS.

CASSIDY—Ellen Cassidy, beloved sister of Mary Cassidy and Mrs. Marguerite Thomas, at her residence, 716 Larrabee-st. Funeral notice later. Troy and Albany, N. Y. papers please copy.

EKSTRAND—Walter Ekstrand, Aug. 11, at 3940 W. Eighty-third-pl., aged 37 years. Funeral Wednesday, at 2 p. m.

FOSTER—Henri L. Foster, in the 68th year of his age. Interment private.

PARR—William G., aged 68 years 10 months, husband of Louise M. Parr and father of Harry G. Parr, Mrs. Gertrude Craig, and Mrs. J. A. Patton. Funeral Tuesday, Aug. 13, from the residence of Mrs. J. A. Patton, 1150 Sheridan road, at 2 o'clock, to Graceland.

POPE—Mary Wilson Pope, beloved wife of Charles Pope. Monday, Aug. 12, at Geneva, Ill. Funeral at Geneva, Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 11 o'clock. Train leaves N. W. depot at Chicago at 10 o'clock. Burial at Graceland.

REDMOND—Isabella Redmond, aged 84 years. Funeral Tuesday, at 2 o'clock, from brother's residence, 504 Webster-av., to Graceland Cemetery.

RATTRAY—Aug. 12, 1901, Mrs. John Rattray, nee Brymer. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. James P. Simpson, 381 S. Winchester-av., Wednesday, at 1 p. m., carriages to Rosehill. Scotland papers please copy.

REPPETTO—On the 12th inst., at his residence, 2704 State-st., Mr. John Reppetto, beloved husband of Katherine, father of Mrs. Constantine, father of Blanche and Adeline. Funeral notice hereafter.

STAFFORD—Jane Stafford, beloved mother of J. W., R. C., A. J., Mrs. Victoria Stafford, and Mrs. Margaret Sullivan. Funeral Wednesday from her late residence, 380 Wabash-av., on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 2 p. m., to Oakwoods.

WEDDELL—Aug. 12, Marie, infant daughter of Thomas R. and Lucy Weddell. Funeral private from the residence, 3934 Michigan-av., at 2:30 p. m.

WOLLAUER—Mary A. Wollauer, beloved wife of Clark R. Wollauer, aged 60 years, sister of L. B. Wright, Gilbert A. Wright, and Jane E. Wright. Funeral from 14a Salle-st., Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 12 o'clock.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1901.

Welcome to the New Shamrock.

Shamrock II., the new challenger for the America Cup, is anchored off New York harbor, and Sir Thomas Lipton is with it, determined to carry off with him the most coveted trophy in the yachting world. Every American will wish Shamrock well and will hope that it may win—if, indeed, a faster boat than its American opponent. But whatever the result of the great races, there can be no doubt of the sincerity of the welcome to Shamrock's owner. The people of this country like Sir Thomas Lipton for his persistency, for his courage, for his spirit of fair play, and good sportsmanship. They like him for his "nerve," and they would prefer to send back the old cup in his custody rather than in that of anybody else. At the same time the feeling is general and natural that the American built yacht will show a clean pair of heels to Shamrock. It is to be hoped that Shamrock was not in any way injured during the long trip across the Atlantic, and that it may be in condition to do its best when the day comes for the first race. It may also be hoped that weather conditions will be more favorable for yacht racing this year than they were two years ago, when for days the rivals simply drifted along without wind enough to fill their sails. What is wanted this time is a spanking breeze, "a wet sheet and a flowing sea"—and may the best boat win.

THE RIGHT TO GO TO CHURCH.

On Sunday morning some non-union machinists who are in the employ of the Allis-Chalmers company in this city left the works at an early hour to go to the nearest Catholic church. They had gone but a little distance when they were set upon by the strikers' pickets and driven back to the works. One of them was badly beaten. Thus it appears that in the opinion of these pickets non-union men have not religious rights even. It is not permissible for them to go to church to hear mass.

It is quite possible that some of these pickets are Catholics. In that event what Archbishop Ireland said last week on the subject of interference with non-union men may appeal to them a little more forcibly than to Protestant strikers. The Archbishop said:

> While the right to enter upon a strike must be conceded, the men who strike must recognize the corollary of this principle of personal freedom, that the men who wish to work have an undeniable right to do so without interference. The personal freedom of the individual citizen is the most sacred and precious inheritance of Americans. Whatever other interests at stake, that of the personal freedom of the individual outranks them all, and this must be sustained even if those are to be sacrificed. Neither state nor fellow-citizen may interfere with my personal liberty. This is the vow of American citizenship.

This is a correct statement of the case. No jurist could have spoken more accurately and clearly than the Archbishop of St. Paul has done. Yet day before yesterday the personal freedom—the religious freedom—of some American citizens working in this city was successfully assailed.

It is to be hoped that this will not be allowed to happen again. Perhaps next Sunday the Chief of Police will provide a police escort for men employed at the Allis-Chalmers works who may wish to go to church. They have a right to go there, and they should not be deprived of it because they do not choose to join a union or because they are willing to work ten hours a day while other machinists refuse to work more than nine.

THE DEATH OF CRISPI.

Francesco Crispi, who died day before yesterday, was the last survivor of the famous group of soldiers and statesmen who made modern Italy, and his death closes a chapter in which his name will always shine along with those of Garibaldi, Cavour, Mazzini, and Victor Emmanuel. It is too soon to assign to him his proper place in history, for few great men ever aroused a more varied aggregation of bitter animosities than Crispi, yet one of the best proofs of his genuine greatness as a statesman lies in the fact that his most implacable opponents were obliged more than once to call him to the head of the government in order to save it from ruin in weaker hands. In many respects Crispi justly may be called the Bismarck of Italy. Both men had the imperious spirit and the inflexibility of purpose that create empires.

There were three periods in Crispi's public career. He began as a Republican conspirator, then became a radical politician, and ended as a stern and ruthless enemy of militant radicalism. Thus the man who had taken up arms against the brutal tyranny of King Bomba in 1848, and who had suffered ten years of miserable exile in consequence, was found in 1890 punishing insurrections with heartless severity. Yet in both cases he was doing what he believed was best for Italy. The same explanation will apply to his change from republican to monarchical principles, embodied in his famous dictum which made Mazzini his lasting enemy: "The monarchy unites us; the republic would divide us."

Crispi was Garibaldi's right hand man and sole adviser in the revolution of 1860, which created a united Italy, and, like Garibaldi, he came out of that epoch of chaos with clean hands. At one time he was left in absolute charge of the treasures of Naples, yet he left that city without enough money to pay his fare to Rome. He gave his support to the royal house of Savoy because he had become convinced that this was the only means of obtaining a united Italy, and he did almost as much for that dynasty as Bismarck did for the house of Hohenzollern. Yet the court always was hostile to Crispi. The followers of Cavour never ceased to abuse him on the one hand and those of Mazzini on the other. The church conservatives were his enemies because he opposed the Pope's temporal power, and the people disliked him because of his stern measures to preserve law and order. Yet he became the head of the government by virtue of his transcendent ability, and served his country well.

There were phases of Crispi's character that would prevent him from being regarded as an ideal by Anglo-Saxons. His marital relations were not creditable to him. His political methods were often what we should call tricky. The disasters of the Italian army in Abyssinia during his last term tended to discredit him, though he was not really to blame for the colonial policy of his government at that time. To his real defects his enemies have added a mass of unmerited detraction, but few unbiased observers will deny that in Crispi the Italians have lost the last of their great statesmen.

TRUE TO THEIR AGREEMENTS.

The members of the Amalgamated association at South Chicago and Milwaukee are the saving grace of that organization. They know better what is for its interests than its President does. They have recognized the binding force of contracts. They have made it plain that they are men with whom employers can make agreements with a confidence that they will not be broken under any circumstances.

The natural impulse of these Western members of the association was to obey orders and quit work. They had the assurance of President Shaffer that the contracts they had entered into were not binding on them because "transferred without their consent." They showed their intelligence by refusing to be convinced by such sophistical reasoning. They had not forgotten that four years ago another and an honester President said that "a contract once agreed upon should be held inviolable."

These Western men have been more truly loyal to the association than they would have been if they had gone out. The policy of President Shaffer is calculated to wreck the Amalgamated association. That of the South Chicago and Milwaukee men is calculated to save it from destruction. The organization is unfortunate in that its chief was not selected in the West.

President Shaffer has been an unwise leader. What he should have done was to accept last month the concessions, slight as they may have seemed to him, offered by the officers of the sheet steel, steel hoop, and tinplate companies. Then his organization would have been strengthened and would have been in a better position to ask next year for further concessions. He was too impatient. He wished to signalize his administration by a great victory and now he has gotten the association into a scrape from which nothing except the conservative action of the Western members can extricate it.

A number of steel men went out at the East day before yesterday and yesterday in response to President Shaffer's last call. But he can get little comfort from this in view of what has happened here. Where unanimity of action is lacking in a strike success is impossible. Not only have some of the Amalgamated people refused to come out but the non-union Carnegie men refuse to budge. Consequently President Shaffer speaks of them as "men working in the slave pens of the trust who had not spirit enough to come out and join the strikers." They, like the men at South Chicago, have agreements with their employers which insure them good wages and steady work, and they are too honorable and too sensible to break these agreements.

He would act far more wisely if instead of resorting to epithets he were to order back to work all the men who have quit work. To all appearances his strike is beaten. The slower he is to admit it the worse will it be for his association and the men who have gone out.

THE MONTANA COPPER SCANDAL.

The charge that Judge Harney of Butte was influenced unduly in his recent decision regarding the Minnie Healy mine has moved a New York paper to tell the remarkable story of Fred Augustus Heinze, the copper king, who won this famous suit. The most striking feature of the story is the vastness of the sums involved in Montana copper interests. The Minnie Healy mine, valued at $10,000,000, is only one of many in which Mr. Heinze owns a controlling interest. He is a young man of only 32 years of age, and in the last twelve years he has amassed a fortune of $30,000,000 and acquired a power in the State which Senator Clark himself well may fear.

A few of Heinze's deals will indicate the size of the sums with which the Montana copper kings juggle daily. He made $1,000,000 from the Glengarry mine, and in 1895 he paid $400,000 for the Rarus, believing this to be an extension of the famous Anaconda. In a few years he had developed the Rarus into a $10,000,000 property. Then a rival set of capitalists from Boston claimed the Rarus and brought suit for $750,000 for the ore removed by Heinze. The latter retaliated by buying the Sullivan mine and suing the Bostonians for $800,000 worth of ore alleged to have been taken illegally from that mine. In his hands these and other mines grew to a value of $25,000,000.

In the meantime, Heinze continued to keep the courts as busy as his miners. He instituted a suit for $3,000,000 damages against one company and $3,200,000 against another. When Marcus Daly formed the Amalgamated Copper company Heinze did not enter the combine. The trust is financed by the Standard Oil company. Thus it happens that Heinze ever since has been fighting the Standard Oil millions, and in the Minnie Healy case he defeated them. This mine, like so many others, under his magic hand developed rich veins of ore after he bought it. Then his rivals discovered a flaw in his title, due to the absence of one of the former owners when the deed was signed. They got hold of this man and induced him to testify that he had not consented to the sale, though it is said he did consent verbally. It was upon this point, involving the ownership of a $10,000,000 mine, that Judge Harney decided in favor of Heinze and against the Standard Oil magnates.

In the Butte district alone there is capital invested in mines to the extent of almost $250,000,000 and wealth aggregating $45,000,000 is taken out annually. With such enormous sums in a few hands it is not strange that Montana politics appeals entirely to the pocket. With suits for millions constantly before the courts it would not be surprising if attempts to bribe the judiciary were frequent and seductive. Judge Harney's enemies charge him with accepting $100,000 to decide for Heinze. The Judge himself says he was offered $250,000 by the Standard Oil interests. Apparently the case was one which might have been decided either way. From the trial of such suits and from such temptations every Montana Judge should pray daily to be delivered.

CORN GOES UP.

It was the opinion of the men on the Board of Trade yesterday that September corn was worth 61 cents a bushel and December corn 64 cents. The estimate of the Department of Agriculture that the drought has lessened the crop by from 650,000,000 to 850,000,000 bushels has had an effect on prices which will be gratifying to all the farmers who have been lucky enough to raise any corn. They can contemplate with some philosophy the less fortunate condition of those who have no corn.

The Secretary of Agriculture says that "the weather of the future will have much to do with regard to the final yield." No doubt this is so, but the weather of the future, no matter how excellent it may be, can make good only a little of the harm which has been done by the weather of the past. It is settled now beyond all controversy by the exhaustive reports of the agents of the Department of Agriculture that corn, oats, and potatoes have suffered severely. There has been a fine wheat crop, for which there will be a good market abroad, but that does not make amends to Illinois for the fact that the estimated corn crop this year will fall 156,000,000 bushels below that of last year. It was not supposed that this State was going to suffer so severely. There has been a great outcry about losses in Kansas and Missouri, but nothing has been said about those in Illinois.

Now that some light has been thrown on the situation, and the worst is known, it may be taken for granted that the prices of corn products will go up. The distillers have already said they are going to charge more for whisky. The glucose and starch manufacturers may be expected to follow suit.

COLOMBIA AND VENEZUELA.

The Colombian Minister to Venezuela and all the members of the legation have left Caracas, but it is said that there has been no rupture of diplomatic relations between the two countries as yet. Perhaps they will not go to war. There are enough revolutions on foot to provide abundant employment for all the warlike spirits in the two republics. If Colombia and Venezuela needs must have a war they ought to wait till all the revolutions now on hand have been disposed of.

This strife, whether it be war or revolution, does not concern the United States so long as the rights of American citizens are not trespassed on or free transit across the Isthmus of Panama is not interfered with. Naval vessels are on their way to guard against any interference, if attempted. Probably it will not be after the American forces reach the isthmus.

It is to be regretted that these South Americans should spend so much time fighting when they ought to be at work. It is their immemorial privilege to cut one another's throats, and the United States will not restrain them, unless, indeed, some faction should endeavor to enlist the aid of a European nation. If an attempt were made to extend that aid, then it would be necessary for the United States to tell the Europeans not to meddle in an American quarrel. It is quite improbable that such aid will be asked for or volunteered.

The only danger is that in these revolutions the rights of a citizen of some European nation may be violated. Then his home government will have a right to demand satisfaction, as the American government would have under similar circumstances. To a demand for legitimate satisfaction the United States cannot object. It will be no infringement of the Monroe doctrine.

VICTORY OF INVADER.

Every real lover of yachting will rejoice at the victory of Invader yesterday in the second of the five races for the possession of the Canada Cup. If Cadillac, with one race already to its credit, had won yesterday the latter would have had such a lead that the subsequent races would not have been exciting. It is well that the Captain and crew of the defender should realise that in the invading yacht they have a foeman worthy of their best seamanship. Now that each of the contestants has won one race public interest will be greatly increased and tens of thousands who love a close struggle between well matched rivals will doubtless be on hand to watch the third of the five races.

The race won by Cadillac on Saturday was won with the aid of a strong breeze and a somewhat heavy sea, weather conditions with which the Canadian yacht did not seem to be so well equipped to deal. Yesterday, on the other hand, the lake was smooth and the breeze hardly worth a yachtsman's whistle, and Invader led almost from the start. If Cadillac has shown itself to be the better boat in rough weather, Invader has demonstrated an equal superiority in a light breeze and a smooth sea. It may well happen, therefore, that the condition of the wind when the next race is sailed may have almost a decisive effect on the final result. At any rate, it is assured that the race will be a close one and that all that sailor men can do will be done by the crews of both boats.

The boats being so good and so well handled, and the spectacle of the contests between them so enjoyable, it is to be hoped that each boat will win two races, so that the interest may be kept up to the end. Then there will be a great turnout when they meet for the last and decisive trial of speed.

POLICE PROTECTION FOR GAMBLERS.

Collusion between the Tammany police and the criminal classes of New York has been known to exist for years, but the difficulty has been to get definite proof. The Society for the Prevention of Crime finally has secured some tangible and detailed evidence. An attempt to bribe the society itself has led to some interesting revelations. The poolroom gamblers found it desirable to get early notice of every intended raid by the society, so it employed a go-between named Whitney to bribe an agent of the society to give secret notice of every projected raid. For this service the supposed traitor in the society's ranks was promised $500 a month and actually was paid several hundred dollars. Whitney gave a list of forty or more poolrooms that were to be protected from raids in this way.

Whitney was dealing with sharper and honester men than himself, so he was arrested, and has confessed. His confession has implicated a large number of police officers by name, many of them high in the service. As a consequence the whole department is on the anxious seat. Direct evidence of another kind also has been obtained by the society. In order to work his protection scheme, Whitney was obliged to reveal the fact that the Police department was a part of his machine for defeating the law. To test the man's statements the society telephoned the "tips" of several projected raids to police headquarters, with the result that within a few minutes each poolroom named was closed. The whole police telephone system is at the service of the gamblers.

For this protection the poolrooms pay handsomely. The $500 a month which they were willing to pay as a bribe to one of the society's agents was only a small item in their expenses. Whitney says in his confession that twenty-eight poolrooms are paying $2,800 a month as "special assessments" to the police, probably on account of the Parkhurst society raids, besides a regular monthly payment of $280. This does not include telephone or telegraph tolls, rent, or pay for the three extra men assigned to each poolroom by the Tammany district leaders at $3 a day. This last item alone would amount to more than $7,000 a month for twenty-eight poolrooms. Thus the blackmail which these establishments are willing to pay exceeds $10,000 monthly. Evidently they must be doing a profitable business or they would not part with such sums cheerfully and regularly. The same system of blackmail is maintained over disorderly houses and other illegal establishments, and the Tammany police is equally obliging in notifying these of any impending danger.

Whether the Society for the Prevention of Crime will be able to accomplish anything in the courts with its new evidence remains to be seen. The dismissal or imprisonment of a few guilty men will count for little so long as Tammany is allowed to hold the reins of the municipal government.

THE lake breeze made a sorry return yesterday for all the good things Chicago has said about it.

COIN HARVEY charges the defeat of the Democratic party last year to Chairman Jones' mismanagement. Coin Harvey shouldn't tell tales out of the financial school.

NEW JERSEY farmers celebrated "salt water day" last week. They have had their annual bath and resumed their sempiternal fight against the mosquito.

SPEAKING of the abandonment of the ocean steamship line because of high insurance rates the esteemed Council Bluffs Nonpareil says this is "the first time Chicago ever fell down over a little thing like that." "Let Chicago carry its own insurance," says the Nonpareil. "It is rich enough." Referred to the proper committee.

THE Memphis Commercial Appeal's fund for the Schley medal is now nearly $1,400. Isn't that large enough to convey the idea?

THROWING a bomb at that British transport loaded with Missouri mules was an ill-considered action. It didn't do half the damage to the ship that might have been done if the perpetrator had thrown it among the mules and started them into action.

IT turns out that the Hon. Jerry Simpson has no idea of leaving Kansas. He might leave it for Washington, under certain circumstances, perhaps, but those circumstances are not likely to confront him.

THERE are good and sufficient reasons now for that restless, unhappy look you may have observed in the portraits of Fighting Bob Evans.

THE Memphis Commercial Appeal calls Senator Tillman a gabby ass. Tillman will be justified in kicking.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Victim of Circumstances.

Shykes—"You are still devoted to vegetarianism, I suppose?"

Glizzard—"I'm still preaching it, but I'm not practicing it just now. Meat is cheaper."

Off and On.

"I presume," said the man with the flashy necktie, "that prize fight of yours and Sparwell's is still on?"

"I suppose so," replied the man with the prognathous jaw. "They won't let us pull it off."

Headwork.

Badleigh Milduds—"W'y don't ye t'row dat dirty old shirt collar away?"

Tuffed Knutt—"It keeps people from lookin' at me neck."

No Time for It.

"How does it happen you have escaped the hay fever this year?"

"Well, I had to choose between having the hay fever and going to the whist congress at Milwaukee, and I thought I'd rather have the whist congress this time."

Unnecessary Qualification.

"What office is Graphter reaching for now?"

"He wants to be superintendent of a deaf and dumb asylum."

"When did he ever learn the sign language?"

"Never learned it at all. You don't have to learn it to hold that job. You can always get a cheap assistant, you know, if you ever have occasion to talk to the mutes."

Rather Be First.

"Your wife is fully a head taller than you, is she not?"

"Yes. She had a chance, though, to marry a man a head taller than herself, but she said she couldn't bear the idea of playing second fiddle in a family of freaks."

No Absolute Certainty.

"You want to marry my daughter, do you? What reason have you to think, young man, she cares for you?"

"None at all, sir, except that she always kisses me good-night when I take my leave after calling on her, and says she'll be awfully lonely till she sees me again. But I don't know much about the ways of girls, sir."

An Appeal to the 'Tater.

Why do you climb so high,
Potato?
Why scorn our deep and hungry sigh,
Potato?
We've loved you long, we love you still;
We always have, we always will—
Our thoughts and other spots you fill,
Potato.

We used to peel your jacket off,
Potato;
No more that garment will you doff,
Potato.
We take you in with peel and all,
And nobs and eyes, both great and small;
No morsel do we dare let fall,
Potato.

Then must we buy you by the quart,
Potato?
O, prove yourself of the mellow sort,
Potato.
Give ear to our despairing cry,
Admit you've got your perch too high;
Our longing midst, O, satisfy,
Potato!

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Archery.

"The lanky suitor hath an evil temper," sighed the white-armed Penelope wearily.

"Alas, I would that Ulysses, my cagey husband, were returned."

"Fear not, my mother, nor be at all out of heart," returned Telemachus. "For even I, thy son, have attained some huskiness, and am well able to look after these gallants."

Whereupon the youth descended into the courtyard of the castle and found the noble suitors engaged in archery practice.

"What, ho! Gentles!" he cried. "I shall take a hand in your game."

Saying which, Telemachus fired the long cross beau.—New York Sun.

Outside of Utah.

When several "widows" put in claims for a dead man's estate, it looks as if that man's last estate was worse than his first.—Boston Advertiser.

HOW MRS. CUMMINS WORRIED SENATOR GEAR

A. B. Cummins, the nominee of the Iowa Republicans for Governor, is in many ways a remarkable man. The only office he ever held was when he was a member of the Legislature in his State. The story following, by one who was on the scene, shows another side of the Cummins family:

"I was in Des Moines in the winter of 1894 when Cummins was a candidate for the United States Senate to succeed that gritty old veteran in politics, John Henry Gear. There were six candidates, as I remember. Gear, of course, was the lion. Then there was another who had a big railroad influence. Then there was a plucky fighter, an editor from Sioux City. Another candidate hailed from Council Bluffs. He was the plain people's candidate, as he called himself. Used to help farmers cut hay and so on. Then there was a man from the center of the State. He had long hair and was an impressive sort of fellow. The other man was Cummins. Tall, rather swarthy, perfectly possessed when others were on the rampage, he was the one man whom foxy old Gear really feared. I was in Gear's room one night with his manager, young Blythe, a shrewd railroad lawyer. He had all the pins in their proper places and told old John Henry Gear to go to bed, that everything was all right.

"'Have you seen Cummins tonight?' asked the Senator.

"The lawyer said he had not, but that Cummins' headquarters were dark, and nobody was about.

"'Then I stay up,' said the wily old politician. 'I don't go to bed until I know where Cummins is.'

"His manager laughed and said he knew Cummins was at home—Cummins lives in Des Moines—and in bed.

"This did not satisfy John Henry Gear. 'He can plot as much mischief there, or more,' retorted Gear, 'than anywhere else. Do you know Mrs. Cummins?' The old man's manager said he knew her in a casual way.

"'I know her the other way,' said the old Senator. 'She's the smartest woman in Iowa. And when she and her husband sit down to plot it's time for the plotters to be on guard. I wish there was some way to get Cummins away from home.'

"This compliment for Mrs. Cummins, from a man like John Henry Gear, meant a good deal. The old man, however, went to bed. The next day he summoned his manager and said:

"'What did I tell you? Do you know what Cummins and his wife did last night? See here. Here is an invitation from Mrs. Cummins to me, to dine at her home this evening with the other candidates! That's Mrs. Cummins' work.'

"Young J. W. Blythe asked if that wasn't all right.

"'Nothing gives me greater pleasure,' said the lynx-eyed Senator, 'than to be Mrs. Cummins' guest ordinarily. I honor her. But this finesse on her part is not according to the old way of political battling in this State. It's a sort of lace-handkerchief, kid-glove way of getting the enemy into a corner and smothering him with perfume.'

"'But you are going?' asked Blythe.

"'Going? What else can I do? There's where she unarms me.'

"The dinner was a pretty one, I was told. Mrs. Cummins went to the spread on the arm of the old Senator. The other candidates were in their places. Not a word of politics was uttered. A few games, some music, and it was all over. Old man Gear said the next day: 'If Cummins' wife could be a candidate for my toga I'd let it drop.'

"John Henry Gear won in the caucus, and was elected, of course, on joint ballot. All the candidates spoke after the caucus, but the cleverest speech was that made by Cummins. And while he was talking old man Gear, radiant and bubbling, was assuring Mrs. Cummins of his admiration for her husband, and promised, so I was told, that when he finished the term for which he had just been nominated he would get out of the way for Cummins. But he didn't. In 1900 old John Henry capered as gayly into the field as a spring colt and won. If Cummins lives he will reach the Senate. He is, in his peculiar way, one of the smoothest politicians in the country."

DOTY TELLS RESULTS OF HIS TESTS WITH MOSQUITO GERMS

New York Health Officer Says Experiments Showed Where Typhoid Came From and Revealed Curative Agent.

New York, Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Dr. A. H. Doty, health officer of the Port of New York, today gave out a long statement concerning his experiments with mosquitoes on Staten Island. Dr. Doty says in part:

"I selected for the test a district known by physicians to contain many cases of malaria, both in the acute and chronic form. This section, consisting of a basin, has within its boundaries no less than twenty-five stagnant pools.

"A house to house inspection showed that at least 90 per cent of the inhabitants of this section were suffering with the acute or chronic form of malaria. In almost every house or yard were found typical breeding places for mosquitoes.

"It was a surprise to find that a solution of bichloride of mercury (1-2,000), sufficiently strong to kill all micro-organisms, affected the mosquito larvæ slowly, some being alive at the expiration of twenty-four hours. In weaker solutions they lived indefinitely. Permanganate of potassium, which has been strongly recommended for the destruction of larvæ, produced little effect except in strong solutions. During these tests the marked superiority of petroleum oil soon became manifest.

"The result of this investigation from a scientific point of view has been of great interest:

"First, because it has shown the intimate relation between the mosquito and malarial fever. Second, because it has revealed to those who have been identified with this investigation the true breeding places of the mosquito. Third, it has shown that petroleum oil will surely and promptly destroy mosquito larvæ, and, so far as careful experiments indicate, it is the only agent which can be depended upon for this purpose."

CAUGHT IN THE CROWD

HOW BROWN WAS RUINED.

Brown acquired the label habit when he went to Europe the first time. He had bought a new dress suit case, a heavy thing as strong as rawhide and rivets could make it; and after he had been on the continent a couple of months he began to notice the many colored paper labels with which it was beginning to be covered and which mark the globe trotter.

The first time Brown looked at his bag there were perhaps a dozen labels on it. There was the tag pasted on when he had

THE DRESS SUIT CASE WAS A WORK OF ART.

crossed into Canada on his way to New York by the customs officials, there was the label of the steamer on which he had come to England, his London hotel was represented by a gorgeous design of lion and unicorn, and eight or ten other bits of colored paper, each standing for a customs inspection or a steamboat or railroad journey.

It struck Brown at first that the labels were a pretty good record of his travels. Then he began to be attached to the tags themselves and to envy other travelers whose bags bore labels which his did not. Soon the label habit had developed into a passion. It is declared that Brown came home the other way around the world in order that he might add to his collection the big, red "P. & O." of the Peninsular and Oriental Steamship company and the queer tag in Japanese script which the steamers use running into Nagasaki. In the course of a couple of years he had acquired a collection which, so far as his observation extended, had no equal. Then, one evil day, he noticed that one of the hinges of his dress suit case was getting loose and sent the precious bag to a trunkmaker's to be repaired.

It left his house looking like Joseph's coat of many colors. It came back as clean and innocent of tags as the day it first came from the shop.

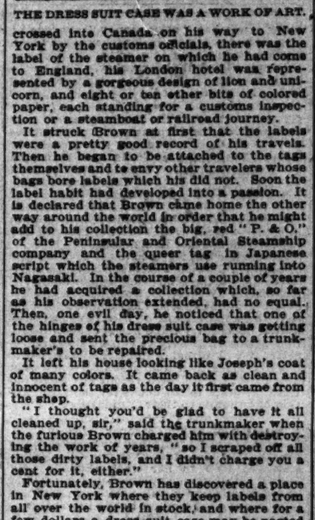
"I thought you'd be glad to have it all cleaned up, sir," said the trunkmaker when the furious Brown charged him with destroying the work of years, "so I scraped off all those dirty labels, and I didn't charge you a cent for it, either."

Fortunately, Brown has discovered a place in New York where they keep labels from all over the world in stock, and where for a few dollars a dress suit case may be pasted so full of labels as to indicate that its owner has penetrated into every corner of the world. He has sent his suit case down there, together with a list of the labels which it originally bore. He feels that he will be perpetrating no fraud in simply replacing what he had originally accumulated in honest travel. But he has only scorn and contempt for the people who patronize that label shop and do their traveling only on street cars.

THE TALE OF A SHIRT.

A prominent physician, who has an office in a down-town skyscraper, bought early this spring a supply of gorgeous negligee shirts. One of the new garments, which he had made at a cost of $3.50 each, was so peculiarly atrocious that he wore it but once. When he came down to breakfast one morning with the awful red and green plaid adorning his manly form his wife at once gave notice that if he went down-town with it on she would sue for divorce. She also warned him that a view of the shirt would certainly be fatal to his more delicate patients. Feeling chastened by this rebuke, the doctor took off the nightmare and went down to work in white linen.

That evening another young doctor called at the physician's home and the subject of



A MAN WAS GORED BY A BULL.

the wonderful shirt was mentioned. Finally the garment itself was brought down and displayed and the matter was settled by the acceptance of an offer of 50 cents for the shirt made by the younger physician.

The new owner of the shirt put it on one day and started to walk down Clark street on his way to one of the railroad stations. On the way the shirt caused almost a riot among the excitable denizens of the levee and the doctor took it off that night for the last time. A few days later, by way of a joke, he sold the now famous garment to a young cousin for 25 cents. The latter put on the shirt and went to a roof garden, where the plaids and stripes attracted so much more attention than the vaudeville performance that he took his departure before the entertainment was more than half through.

That night burglars broke into the house of the doctor's cousin and among the property they carried off was the shirt. The burglars were never arrested and in a week or two all the parties who had been interested in the rainbow forgot its existence.

Last week the original owner went up into Wisconsin to spend a few days fishing. One evening a wild-eyed farmer rushed into camp and inquired if there was a doctor on hand. The physician admitted his identity and was asked to hurry back to the farmer's home, where a man had been badly gored by a bull.

The victim was lying groaning on a settee in the dining-room when the doctor entered. After his wounds had been bound up the doctor noticed something familiar about the shirt which the unfortunate man wore. He looked down at the bosom and there in red embroidery were his own initials. It was indeed, the famous garment which had had such a strange history.

"It's no wonder the bull hooked him," said the farmer. "He ought to know better than wear a shirt like that."

As a matter of common humanity the doctor secured possession of the ill-omened shirt and sunk it in the lake, where it will be powerless to cause any further riots or accidents.

HE TALKED TOO MUCH.

The general manager of a somewhat prominent firm in the wholesale line was recently convinced in an amusing way that it is extremely foolish to talk too freely with chance acquaintances on the railroad cars.

One Saturday evening a couple of weeks ago the man in question took a train for his summer home in Wisconsin. He took a seat in the smoking compartment of a Pullman and engaged in conversation with three or four other passengers who happened to be also seated there. One of them happened to be a member of the Board of Review, which has the work of fixing the figures at which firms and individuals shall be assessed. The conversation finally drifted around to a discussion of the principal firms in the line of business which the general manager represented. The claims of the several firms for supremacy were put forward and so much was said about their financial strength and the huge stocks of goods which they carried that the general manager felt called upon to say something in defense of his own company.

"Didn't any of you men ever hear of the Smith-Brown company?" he said. "I know all about them, and in my opinion they stand well at the head. They carry a regular balance of never less than $50,000 at their bankers and their stock is worth not less than half a million. I am not giving you idle talk. I know positively what I am talking about."

When the member of the Board of Review got back to the city on Monday he happened to pick up the schedule of the Smith-Brown company. He looked at it with considerable interest and thought it astonishing that a corporation which he had heard spoken of so boastfully should schedule only $6,000 in bank and should estimate their stock at only $35,000. With the figures which he had heard

"HOW DO YOU DO, SIR."

quoted fresh in his mind he sent over for the general manager of the firm.

When the general manager walked into the office of the Board of Review and saw his acquaintance of the sleeping car in one of the official seats he almost lost his breath.

"Why, how do you do, sir," said the reviewer. "We sent for you to ask if you don't think this Smith-Brown schedule too low. I understand that the company never has less than $50,000 in bank and that their stock is worth at least half a million."

The general manager thought that he was getting off more easily than he deserved when the schedule was doubled. And he has sworn a great oath not to do any talking hereafter on railroad trains, especially to people he don't know.

A YOUNG FINANCIAL GENIUS.

The parents and friends of little Willie Jones are thoroughly convinced that he is destined to be a multi-millionaire. They base their conviction on a recent occurrence.

Until a month ago little Willie was in the habit of going to his mother when he wanted money and asking her for a nickel or a dime, according to his needs. One day when his requests for money had been unusually frequent she made up her mind that it would be well to teach the young man a lesson in thrift.

"You are old enough to earn your own money, Willie," she said, "or at least a part of it. Let's see if you can't find a way to earn some without always asking mother."

For the next three weeks Willie made not a single demand for money, and finally his mother concluded that something must be the matter with the boy. Possibly she had been too severe with him.

"What's the matter with you, Willie?" she said. "Why don't you ever ask for any money? I didn't mean to cut you off entirely when I spoke to you the other day."

"I don't need to ask, mother," said the young financier. "I am earning more money now than I really need."

"How do you do it, Willie?" asked the mother.

Willie was reluctant to disclose the secret, but finally consented to do so. The Joneses live in a big house which stands in an acre of ground. Behind the house the yard is covered with a thick growth of trees and shrubbery. To the rear of the yard behind a thick clump of bushes Willie led his wondering parent. There in a spot entirely concealed from view from the house he had arranged a dozen small boxes in the shape of the seats at a theater. In the center stood a post, and on the post was tacked a placard. On this placard little Willie had printed in scrawling letters the following list of attractions:

WHAT WILLIE JONES WILL DO!
For 1 cent.....Eat an angle worm
For 2 cents.....Eat a grasshopper
For 3 cents.....Eat a June bug

Little Willie has now been put on a regular allowance, and at the slightest suggestion of his mother stands ready to increase it with contributions from her own purse.

Make the Case Sure.

Good vegetables are abundant in all the irrigated sections of the Southwest. Instead of praying for rain, why not send up petitions for more irrigation?—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Another Record Smashed.

Finding undigested food in the stomach of a Siberian mammoth that had been dead 50,000 years breaks the record for chronic dyspepsia.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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A. J. SNELL'S MIND FAILS.

MURDERED MILLIONAIRE'S SON AT THE DETENTION.

Fear That He Might Become Violent Leads Friends to Take Charge of Him Until Extent of Malady Can Be Learned—Excessive Use of Intoxicants Assigned by Family as Cause for Mental Weakness—Hearing on Thursday.

Albert J. Snell, son of Millionaire Amos J. Snell, who was murdered in his Washington boulevard residence twelve years ago, is at the Detention Hospital awaiting investigation as to his sanity.

Fear that he might become violent led to a petition to the county authorities to take charge of the man, and yesterday at noon police appeared at the Snell house and took him away. The petition was signed by a cousin, Walter Snell, with the knowledge and consent of Mrs. Snell and on the advice of physicians.

According to relatives, the use of intoxicants is the cause of the apparent mental breaking down of Mr. Snell. For some time he had secluded himself in a barn at the family homestead, seldom appearing before his relatives.

Actions Alarm His Friends.

Friends of the man have noticed for some weeks that his actions were not natural, and they were not surprised at the step which has just been taken.

By some his condition is charged partly to the strain attending the long suit by Mrs. A. J. Stone to secure a share of the elder Snell's estate. Mrs. Stone contended she was a daughter of Amos J. Snell, while the defense alleged she merely had been adopted by the family. The trial, which was one of the most famous in recent years in Cook County, ended a few months ago in a defeat for Mrs. Stone. The litigation was expensive to the estate, and it is said to have caused Mr. Snell great anxiety.

Admits Being Penniless.

Since the death of his father, Mr. Snell, who is 43 years old, has lived at 436 Washington boulevard. For a long time he was engaged in the real estate business in West Madison street. According to his statements made to the officials when he was taken in custody, he practically has been penniless for several weeks.

Unless an examination which is to be made by the physicians develops the fact that Mr. Snell's ailment is alcoholic dementia, from which he can recover in a short time, his hearing before the insane court will be held on Thursday. But before that a report on his condition will be made to Judge Carter.

YOUTHS TO POSE IN TIGHTS.

Beauty Show Will Be Feature of North Shore Church Program—County Fair in Rogers Park.

An international beauty show, composed of young men dressed to represent girls from various parts of the world, will be the feature of the North Shore Congregational Church entertainment at the St. Paul railway depot Thursday night.

There will be living pictures also, consisting of representations of the Gibson girls. Twenty young women of Buena Park, led by Mrs. Henry A. Allen, will take the parts. Other features, such as Oriental booths, are billed, but it is the beauty show that is attracting the most attention.

Samples of the Beauty Show.

Arrayed in the costumes of the country which they are supposed to represent, the young men will sit on a platform. The beauty from the Isle of Guam, it is said, will be represented in all the airiness of her native costume. Clothed in the regulation tights of their calling French danseuses will have their place in the exhibition. Turkish and Egyptian dancing girls also will be there. Among other representations will be Albanian girls, Greek girls, and Irish girls.

County Fair in Rogers Park.

A county fair with real cattle, red lemonade, and the usual booths will be given at Rogers Park under the auspices of the St. Jerome Roman Catholic Church on Aug. 22, 23, and 24. Edward Lahiff has induced every Stock Yards firm to take a portion of the lot and send out to it specimens of the animals in its yards. Before each of the sections will be stationed a sentinel who will receive guesses on the weight of the animals inside, and to the successful ones prizes will be given. The promoters have limited the privilege of guessing as follows: Politicians can guess on the weight of hogs only, women on lambs, and members of Masonic organization on goats. If Lahiff's burro can be driven to the fair Democrats only will be allowed to guess on its weight.

There will be another contest open to all. Each north shore school is permitted to name its most popular pupils, and a general poll will be taken to prove which is the most popular of these. Votes in this contest will be received today at the drug store, 156 State street.

SACRIFICES ALL FOR WHISKERS

Moses Goldus Gives Up Wife and Neighborly Peace Rather than Lose His Beard.

Neither for the love of his wife nor the respect of his neighbor would Moses Goldus, 118 De Koven street, part with his whiskers. Beautiful growth they are, too, cultivated without the stimulus of a prize contest. Above money, jewels, or domestic happiness are they prised by Goldus.

Sixty-two years is the present span of Goldus' life, and recently he married a widow thirty years his junior. He says she developed extravagant ways, but he overlooked them. She demanded soda water, asked for two cows, and though she couldn't distinguish the sounding board from the soft pedal, it is said, yet she wanted a piano. She secured them all. Then she called for the sacrifice of Moses' beard. But the limit had been reached. Goldus says she now is suing for a divorce.

John Snyder, a neighbor, also objected to the whiskers. That is how the whole story came out. Goldus had Snyder arrested, and the case was heard before Justice Sabath yesterday. The evidence showed that Snyder stroked Goldus' filamentary growth in a contemptuous manner, and he was fined $10 and costs for so doing.

DOWIE OUT OF COUSIN'S WILL.

Mrs. Mary Anne Stevenson Bequeaths Estate to Her Husband with Certain Conditions.

John Alexander Dowie was ignored in the will of Mrs. Mary Anne Stevenson, his cousin, and also Mrs. Dowie's sister, which was admitted to probate yesterday. The estate is valued at $50,000, but all is bequeathed to the testator's husband, Samuel Stevenson, 6444 Drexel avenue, with certain safeguards.

He is given the privilege of using the interest of her money and such portion of the principal "as shall be necessary for his support and comfort." At his death, however, the estate is to be divided equally between her mother, Mrs. Jane Dowie of Adelaide, Australia, and her husband's mother, Mrs. Ann Stevenson of Beeston, England. The testator makes provision for her husband's son by a former marriage only in case of children of her own surviving her.

The marriage of the testator and Samuel Stevenson less than two years ago was made a great event in Zion. In the fall Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson accompanied Dowie and his party on their trip to England, and Mrs. Stevenson died while at sea.

DELAYS TRIP TO AID CHILDREN.

Judge Horton Postpones Vacation on an Emergency Call from the Juvenile Court.

Judge Horton postponed his vacation trip yesterday that he might judicially care for thirty-six children waiting in the Juvenile Court for a home to be provided for them. Some of them were babes in arms. Judge Vati is the only Circuit Judge sitting, and he was engaged hearing emergency cases. Chief Probation Officer T. D. Hurley sent a message to Judge Horton, who was preparing to leave the city, and he delayed his trip and returned to court.

SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

By Express.

By Countess Margherita Galletti Di Caduhao.

THE Indian Mail was speeding down to Brindisi. It had passed Anacona, and for some time had kept its course by the sea—that calm Adriatic that ripples so placidly over its yellow sands. The view of the sea on one side and of the flat lands redeemed from its encroachments on the other afforded insufficient amusement to the travelers, two of whom were beguiling the time with a game of chess.

They belonged to different nations, and as they bent opposite one another over the game made a most picturesque contrast. The dark one, a singularly swarthy specimen of even the southern Italian, with his quick glancing eyes and incessant gesticulation, might have represented the law of perpetual motion; whilst the flaxen-haired Scotchman, whose blue eyes were intently fixed upon the board, and whose stiff figure remained rigidly upright and motionless, might have offered a contradiction to that same law if any person should have happened to be disputing about it. The Scotchman made a move, and when the Italian, instead of replying to it with another, waved his hand frantically out of the window, the first player looked up with an astonished frown, and, following the direction of the eyes and hand, beheld a vision which from that time forth remained fixed upon his mind—a mind slow to receive impressions and utterly unable to efface an impression once received. The vision he saw was that of a fine young girl clad in a white gown which fluttered in the breeze, and with a blue shawl wrapped in picturesque folds about her head and shoulders. O, what a head! It might have been the original of one of Murillo's Madonnas, or rather of the Madonna that Murillo would have painted if he had ever had such a model. Locks of bright brown hair, like little vine tendrils, escaped from the shawl, the little hand was sending kisses from a smiling mouth, and the immense black eyes were flashing all their soul into a greeting.

"It is my little sister," said the Italian, "come to the end of our avenue to greet me. Dear old place! So many years as it has been in the family, perhaps it will have to go to strangers—unless my sister can marry some millionaire who will help us along. But excuse me for neglecting the game. What did you move?"

It was the Scotchman who had forgotten the game, for, instead of replying, he asked another question.

"Would she marry me, do you think?"

"Well, on so short an acquaintance I can scarcely answer for her," replied the other, laughing. "I am quite willing to credit you with all the virtues desirable in a brother-in-law, and my acquaintance with you is immensely longer than that of my sister; still, it dates but twelve hours back."

"I have more than enough to support a wife, and therefore might help in the disentanglement of pecuniary embarrassments," pursued the Scot, with unaltered gravity; "and my family is respectable."

He halted before the last word as if it cost him an effort to say it.

"May I ask your name?" asked the other, beginning to look serious in his turn.

"My name is Novar."

"Count? Baron?"

"Neither."

"Only Mr. Novar?"

"I have no prefix to my name except 'The,'" he replied, with increased rigidity.

The Italian's face fell. Not even Mr.! Yet he looked distinguished, but that wouldn't do. One of his noble line, even though penniless, could not marry a nobody. So he whistled and abandoned all serious thought on the subject. Indeed, he almost thought that "The Novar" was having a joke at his expense when he went on to say, solemnly: "In two years I shall return from India, and, if your sister is disengaged and willing, will pay her my addresses."

"Ah, well, let us hope that the impression will prove to be as vivid on her side as it has been on yours," returned Count Ugo Gallese, with a light laugh and a shrug of the shoulders.

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The fishing boats, with their brightly painted sails, looking like a flight of gigantic butterflies, were nearing shore, and all the population of the little village gathered together on the beach to ascertain what spoil they had brought. One by one as they touched shore the sails were furled, and suddenly, like the transformation scene in a pantomime, the pretty butterflies were turned into ugly tubs.

Count Ugo Gallese and his sister, Gemma, walked along the sands, watching the scene, but it was too familiar to call forth a remark, so they discoursed on other topics.

"Who was it you were playing chess with as you passed the other day in the train?" asked Gemma.

"O, such a queer Scotchman—so stiff, and solemn, and pompous!"

"Well, I thought him handsome," said the girl, "with his blue eyes, his hair, and even his beard like gold; quite my idea of that Harald the Fair-Haired that I read about in my history book."

"O, brava! The impression, then, was reciprocal. I have heard of love at first sight, but this is love in a lightning flash."

"I don't know what you mean," said the girl, offended. "May I not say that I think a stranger handsome without being accused of falling in love with him?"

"It is that he has fallen in love with you—and in two years he is coming back to ask for you in marriage. He said it quite seriously, I can assure you, and he looks to me such a regular Don Quixote that I shouldn't be much surprised if he kept his word."

"What an idea!" cried Gemma, tossing her head, and then lowering it to hide a crimson blush.

"But possibly he will find that he is a day after the fair," Ugo pursued. "O, what a lot of fish they have caught! Let's secure some red mullet for supper."

He went up to the nearest boat, now unloading a shining spoil, and the eager, haggling crowd made way respectfully for the young Count to pass. Gemma, who disliked the near proximity of the fisherfolk, stood a little aloof, with flushed cheeks, thinking, not of the red mullet for supper, but of the fair-haired Northman who was coming in two years to claim his bride.

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It was the anniversary of that day on which she had seen what she believed to be her fate. He would come back—she knew he would! He had appeared to her in many a dream—always more beautiful—more like the fair-haired Harald of her imagination. If he were not a Viking he must be at least a great Prince or Duke.

Her state of mind was strange. It would seem too good to be true if he should keep his word; too bad to be true if he should not. But, of course, some accident might delay him. She must be prepared to wait days—weeks—months—even years! She saw herself an old and faded woman going to meet him still. She knew that she should, even after all hope had fled; for the idea possessed her, absorbed her whole being; and as to marrying any one else—she shuddered at the thought.

Slowly the slow train approached. Gemma steadied herself by the gate, for her head whirled, and a great dread came over her lest she should faint. But she strained every nerve to keep her senses clear as the engine came puffing along. In the first carriage there he was, eagerly gazing from the window, with his yellow beard as yellow as ever, and his eyes as blue, but his face more brown. Not quite the glorified Viking, but a real flesh-and-blood person, whose somewhat rigid features relaxed into a smile that was marvelously becoming to them as he caught sight of Gemma. She threw him a kiss. She could not help it; the impulse was irresistible. He took up his hat and stood up, gravely bowing out of the carriage window until she could no longer see him. Then Gemma turned and went home. She burst in upon the yawning company like some radiant spirit—her cheeks glowing, her eyes sparkling.

"I have seen my spóso, whom I have been waiting for for two years, and he will be here directly, and all our troubles will be at an end, for he is an English lord, and they are all good and rich!" she cried.

"Is she mad?" asked the Count, whilst the Countess for once was speechless.

"Per Bacco! that Scotchman has kept his word," cried Ugo. "And so that's what you have been waiting for, you sly little thing!"

The parents looked from one to another of their children in bewilderment. Ugo explained. He had scarcely finished when "The Novar" appeared striding down the avenue. He walked straight in at the open window, straight up to Count Gallese, bowed, and said, in his slow, solemn way: "Je suis venu pour demander votre fille en mariage."

The wedding took place in less than a month. Gemma's trousseau was already complete, and "Novar" soon gave satisfactory proof not only that his no-title was a greater distinction than some grand titles, but also that his possessions were so vast that to let the family on their legs again would scarcely put him out of pocket. He saw no more reason for unnecessary delay now than he had seen for unnecessary hurry before; and the parents had scarcely left off gasping when he whirled his happy bride away by express train, waving farewells to the family party assembled at the end of the ilex avenue.

COUNT COINS BY MACHINERY.

Banks Install a New Gold Weighing and Recording Device—Does Work of Six Clerks.

A machine which does the work of six bank clerks in weighing gold coins was introduced in several Chicago banks yesterday, and its operations caused consternation among the bank employés. George Sites of the First National Bank is one of the two inventors of the machine. Under his direction 3,000 gold coins were weighed at the Commercial National Bank yesterday and sorted and counted. Last night a machine was installed in the Corn Exchange Bank. A small dynamo is used to furnish power, and the whole instrument is contained in a case two feet square and one foot high.

Painter on "L" Stumbles and Is Killed.

James White, a painter employed by the Metropolitan Elevated railroad company, was instantly killed yesterday while working on the structure at Sacramento avenue. It is believed that White attempted to cross the tracks, but stumbled and fell. His right arm touched the third rail and the victim was electrocuted.

Supersedeas Is Asked by Dolinski.

Attorneys Maher and Kennedy, counsel for George Dolinski, have perfected the record in the case and will go before the Supreme Court today and ask for a supersedeas, which will postpone the execution of the murderer of Anton Lisi, set for next Friday.

CAR PORTERS HATE NEW CAP.

Employes of the Pullman Company Object to Curious Headgear Ordered by Officials.

The pride of the conductors and porters of the Pullman Palace Car company in their own beauty has been wounded by the new official cap ordered by President Wickes. The headgear which is the cause of offense is patterned after the soldiers' caps in the Austrian army, and is thought to be especially unbecoming. The new cap has a flaring top that fits close to the forehead and down over the eyes so that only the lower part of the face is visible. The order directing the universal use of these becomes effective on Nov. 1. The Pennsylvania company, it is alleged, will not tolerate the innovation on its lines.

Case of Smallpox from Iowa.

Emma Candler of 380 Chestnut street has been taken to the Isolation Hospital as a smallpox patient. She came from Tipton, Ia., where she was exposed to what was supposed to have been chickenpox. She is 20 years old.

Cooke Brewery Gives to Firemen.

President George S. Cooke of the Cooke Brewing company yesterday sent Fire Marshal Musham $100 for the firemen's benevolent fund in acknowledgment of the firemen's services at a fire in the brewery on Sunday.

HINES-SATTLER WEDDING THURSDAY.

Six hundred invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Mary Adeline Hines, daughter of Mrs. Rose Hines, to Mr. D. S. Sattler on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 15. The ceremony will be at 5:30 o'clock at the Church of Notre Dame, Oregon avenue and Sibley street. The Rev. Father Le Mar will officiate and the big church will be handsomely decorated.

Miss Margaret Millicent Hines will be her sister's maid of honor, and Mr. Harry Haines will be the best man. Mr. Daniel Hays will be master of ceremonies. There will be two bridesmaids, Miss May Kennedy and Miss May Quinlan, and the ushers will be Frank Davy, Dr. C. D. Collins, and Mr. J. Quinlan.

The invitations to the reception which will follow the ceremony are limited to relatives and intimate friends. It will be held at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Edward Hines, 497 Jackson boulevard.

Mr. Sattler gave a coaching party and supper for the members of the bridal party last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sattler, after their wedding trip, will live at 619 Jackson boulevard, where they will be at home after Oct. 1.

The wedding of Miss Julia Guthman and Mr. Albert Wilson took place yesterday at 6:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Guthman, 3639 Vernon avenue, Dr. Hirsch officiating. Miss Augusta Guthman was her sister's maid of honor and Mr. Joseph Kaufman the best man. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will be at home after Oct. 1 at 4520 Vincennes avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas D. Dyer announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Florence Dyer, to Dr. Charles Kahn on Saturday, Aug. 10, at Bay View, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Moore of 3353 Washington avenue gave a dinner last evening at the Washington Park club. Mrs. Moore will leave tomorrow for Old Orchard Beach, Me.

Mrs. W. Vernon Booth and Mrs. P. D. Armour Jr. left Saturday for New York, to sail for a short trip to Europe. Mrs. P. D. Armour Sr. will stay at Danforth Lodge, Oconomowoc, during Mrs. Armour's absence.

Mrs. Emmons Blaine is with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch and Mrs. James G. Blaine at Woodworth's Inn, in the Adirondacks.

Mrs. Kenneth MacKenzie, who is spending the summer with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Clinton Locke, at Wequetonsing, Mich., is writing a play to be presented by amateur talent at Wequetonsing.

Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Woodworth of 1246 North Clark street have returned from several months' absence in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Camp have taken an apartment at the Virginia.

Marquise de Fontenoy Letter.

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VISCOUNT GOUGH, who spent some years at Washington as secretary of the British Embassy, has just been appointed by King Edward to be his Minister Resident at the courts of Dresden and Darmstadt. This must be regarded as a special mark of royal favor. Only those are intrusted with the direction of the English mission at Darmstadt who are entirely in the confidence of the British royal family.

The Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Hesse are so closely related to the King and Queen of England that the business between the two courts partakes far more of family affairs than matters of state.

The Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Hesse have given a great deal of trouble in the past to their English relatives. Although quite young, they have on two occasions separated in a somewhat sensational manner, and it was only through the intervention of Queen Victoria, exercised through her Minister at Darmstadt, that the two, who are first cousins, were reconciled.

Lord Gough takes the place at Darmstadt of the Hon. Alan Johnstone, whose wife is a Miss Pinchot of New York, and who, before being promoted to Darmstadt, was attached to the legation at Copenhagen, which is also a so-called family mission.

Lord Gough is about 50 years of age and a grandson of the first Lord Gough, a famous military commander, who received his several peerages for his brilliant victories in India. The present Lord Gough is married to the daughter of the late Lord Longford, and they have a beautiful country seat at Lough Cutra Castle, in County Galway. It is one of the show places of the west of Ireland; is built of limestone in the Tudor style and stands on the edge of a beautiful lake eight miles in extent. Two magnificent guns figure on either side of the principal entrance to the castle, trophies of the victories of the first Viscount in India.

Archduke Rainer, whose fiftieth anniversary of his betrothal has been made the subject of so much rejoicing at Vienna, is one of the most remarkable members of the house of Hapsburg. There is no more enlightened Prince of the blood in Europe, nor one who, without exercising the power of a monarch, has done so much to benefit his fellow-countrymen both materially and morally. His intellect is of the broadest scope, his erudition as extensive as it is varied, while his views are of the most liberal description.

A tall, soldierly looking old man, with a long white mustache quite as large as that of the late King Humbert, he is the only member of his house who may be said to be in close and intimate relations with the reigning family of Italy, and who, although a devout Catholic, has braved the anger of the Vatican by accepting the hospitality of King Humbert at the Quirinal. The late King of Italy was his nephew, Humbert's mother, King Victor Emmanuel's first wife, having been an Austrian Archduchess and a sister of Archduke Rainer.

Moreover, the Archduke's own mother was a Princess of the royal house of Savoy.

Rainer's father was the last Austrian Viceroy of the Lombardo-Venetian kingdom, and the consequence was that he was not only born at Milan, but likewise brought up there. To him the Austrians are indebted for the creation of the magnificent science and art museum at Vienna, and of many similar institutions throughout the empire. It is he, too, who was organizer of the great international exhibition of 1873, and of the international dramatic and musical exhibition held at Vienna in 1880. Moreover, the scientific world owes to him possession of what is probably the rarest of collections of ancient papyrus records and manuscripts of one kind and another.

While still quite a young man and long before Egypt had been explored to the extent that it is today, he spent a number of months in the land of the Nile, and abandoning the beaten track of the ordinary tourists devoted himself almost exclusively to the exploration of the many hundred of ancient Coptic monasteries which dot the oases of the Lybian desert, and which, until then, were a terra incognito to the scientific world of Europe. He, passed from monastery to monastery, being in many instances the first European who had crossed their thresholds in centuries, and as they were almost all of them poverty stricken he took advantage thereof to buy from them all the documents, books, and reading matter in their possession. He did not attempt to discriminate, but merely used his vast wealth to purchase "en bloc" everything of a documentary character that they were ready to sell.

It was not until long after his return to Austria and the safe arrival at Triest of two entire shiploads of documents thus collected that the wisdom of his enterprise and its priceless value to history, religion, science, and archaeology began to be appreciated. Among a great deal of trash there were found some of the earliest manuscripts of the Gospels and of the Epistles that are now known to be in existence, writings of the fathers of the Christian Church dating from the first five centuries of the Christian era, innumerable classics that are now known to have formed part of the once world-famed library of Alexandria, which was destroyed by the Turks, and papyri dating from the Moasio and even far earlier times.

The enormous size of the collection acquired by the Archduke and by him placed at the disposal of the scientific world, not only of his country but of all Europe, may best be demonstrated by the fact that, although the work of investigating, examining, and deciphering the documents in question has gone on without interruption for forty years past, more than half the collection remains untouched without having even undergone the most superficial examination. Yet the assistance of every student of Oriental and ancient lore has been welcomed by the Austrian government in the work of examination, to which the Archduke himself has devoted large sums of money.

Archduke Rainer virtually exhausted the Coptic monasteries of Egypt, but there still remains untouched and awaiting enterprise such as that displayed by the Archduke a mine of untold wealth in the numerous monasteries of Abyssinia.

The Archduke's devotion to science and art does not, however, prevent his being a thorough soldier, and he has rendered great service to his country as the commander of the Landwehr, or militia, a force which he has entirely reorganized, greatly adding thereby to the military strength of the empire. There is, indeed, no member of the imperial family whom the Emperor is more pleased to consult on the subject of military matters than Archduke Rainer.

In spite of their wealth, which is enormous, the Archduke and his wife are simple-minded and quiet old people, who are never so happy as when they can get away from their magnificent palace at Vienna, either to go to the mountains or to England under the incognito of a thoroughly bourgeois name, living as ordinary and commonplace people. I remember finding them staying at Brighton, on the south coast of England, in the most unostentatious way in lodgings, their landlady having no idea of their rank. The Archduke seemed amused at being discovered, and often afterward in the midst of some stately court function at Vienna would quietly express his longing for boiled mutton and caper sauce, which seemed to have been his favorite and most frequent fare at his Brighton lodging place.

The old couple have no offspring of their own, but merely an adopted child, the suddenly orphaned girl of Rainer's brother Henry and the latter's morganatic wife, the actress, Leopoldine Hoffman. This girl, now happily married, although not a Princess of the blood, is treated as a relative by all the members of the imperial family.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Melodrama on Vaudeville Stage.

Melodramatic one act plays are not unknown on the vaudeville stage, but their use has been experimental and not wholly promising. No exception is apt to be recorded in the case of "Lucille," a story of shadows which was told at the Chicago Opera-House yesterday afternoon by Jane Courthope and an assisting company of three. The French revolution was the pantomimic background to the piece, which bore the name of W. A. Tremayne as author and which had the look of being a condensation of an old-line melodrama.

The heroine, Lucille, at the rise of the curtain was found in the home of a leader of the Republican mob, and it soon was learned that he and his mother had found her and her child starving in the street and had given them hospitable shelter. The child, however, was too near death to be saved, and when it died the mother's hate turned more than ever against the aristocrat who should have made her his wife, but who deserted her instead. At the moment when things began to happen she was deliberating whether she should accept a proposal of marriage from the leader of the people, her protector. The happening was the sudden entrance of the aristocrat himself, fleeing from the mob. When he vowed that he never meant to desert her, Lucille gave him shelter, though her Republican suitor soon found the fugitive. His love for the girl was such that he was willing to give her up and help shield her lover. The latter, with a bargain-making and a turn-coat spirit not common to the aristocrats of his day, agreed on his part to become a Republican and fight in the ranks of the mob.

The audience found more humor in the performance than was intended to be there, but the seriously emotional tone of the acting seemed to win some favor.

Marshall Wilder was at the other pole of the program and his monologue drew the usual quantity of laughter. It contained a few new yarns, the aged jests being kept for encore purposes. The Prosper troupe of acrobats did some unusually difficult feats.

Mr. Skinner Begins Rehearsals.

Rehearsals for Otis Skinner's revival of "Francesca da Rimini" began at the Grand Opera-House yesterday. Mr. Skinner himself was in charge. All the members of the company reported except Miss Marcia Van Dresser and Miss Gertrude Norman. The two young women are in New York, having just reached there from Europe, and they will be in Chicago tomorrow. William Norris, who is to play the rôle of the malevolent jester, Beppo, arrived here on Sunday night. One important rôle, that of Paolo, has not yet been filled, but Manager Joseph Buckley is expected to bring the announcement of a player engaged for it on his arrival today or tomorrow. William Harcourt, who played Charlesworth in "Lorna Doone," was to appear in the rôle, but a severe illness interfered.

McVicker's Stage Being Rebuilt.

While McVicker's Theater is closed the stage is being rebuilt in preparation for the English melodrama, "The Price of Peace," which is expected to spend several months at the theater the coming season. The engagement will not begin until November, but the scenery for the play is already here. It is so heavy and so impossible for use on the ordinary stage that the play will not be taken on tour. The piece ran in New York at the Broadway Theater throughout last spring and was shown briefly in Philadelphia. Chicago will be the only other city in which it will be performed. After it has run its course here the scenery will be shipped back to England.

Ella Snyder Changes Managers.

Ella Snyder, the Casino girl of last year, will not be a member of the forces of Manager George W. Lederer this season. She has been engaged by Klaw & Erlanger for the part of the Princess Beatuy in the Drury Lane pantomime, "The Beauty and the Beast," which is to have a New York production at the Broadway Theater in November.

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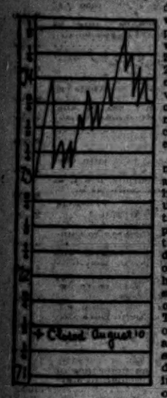
PROPOSALS FOR SUBSISTENCE STORES. Office of Purchasing Commissary, U. S. Army, No. 11 Lake-st., Chicago, Ill., August 12, 1901. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing bacon, issue, dry salt cure, in cases, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, August 23, 1901, at which time and place they will be publicly opened. Articles of domestic production or manufacture will be preferred to those of foreign origin, cost and quality being equal. Specifications as to quantity required, date and place of delivery, blank proposals and further information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Subsistence Stores to be opened August 23, 1901," and addressed to W. H. H. Hart, Captain, Commissary, Purchasing Commissary.

BOOM IN GRAIN MARKETS.

SHARP RESPONSE TO GOVERNMENT CROP FIGURES.

Wheat Scores Greatest Net Advance of 2 1-2 Cents, Helped by Reduction in Visible Supply and Heavy Clearances—Corn Gains Only 2 Cents, with Profit-Taking by Longs on a Large Scale the Chief Feature—Oats and Provisions Higher.

Higher prices for all grains resulted yesterday, as a foregone conclusion from the government crop report, but no runaway markets. The openings were not as wild nor the advances—particularly in corn—as decided as the trade was inclined to expect. Final results were gains of 2¼c to 2½c in wheat, 1¾c to 2c in corn, and 1¼@1¾c in oats. Wheat advanced after the opening, showing the most strength, while corn and oats reacted on heavy realizing.



Sept. Wheat Range.

There was a broad market in wheat and a jump of 1¼c to 2½c in prices at the start under the influence of the government report showing a loss in the spring wheat indications during July of 45,000,000 bu and helped also by the sensational shorting on the corn crop. There was reaction on profit-taking, but an increased show of strength on another day of record-breaking clearances, a total of 1,597,840 bu, and a decrease of 2,150,800 in visible supply. The market was nervous, and overenthusiasm on the part of local bulls in rushing up the price on the clearances was penalized by a reaction of nearly 1c, but at that level a firm undertone developed. September opened from 73c to 74c, compared with Saturday's closing price of 71⅝@¾c, settled back to 73½c, rallied to 74½c, and closed at 73¾c, a net gain of 2¼@2½c. December sold as high as 70½c, closing at 70¼c, and May reached 80¼c, with a close at 79¾c.

Speculative Interest Increases.

There was some broadening in the speculative interest and increased outside buying, but the selling by those who had comfortable profits and wished to realize on at least part of their line, was on a large scale. On the other hand there was renewed buying by local bulls, in addition to lines anchored by purchases at considerably lower prices, and some buying against sales of corn by professions, who believe speculation will drift from that market to wheat and increase the spread. There were fair offerings by elevator interests, but as a rule country acceptances were light. The decrease in the visible supply drew attention to the light stocks of 29,319,000 bu, compared with 48,218,000 bu last year. One of the bull claims was that stocks in the visible supply are proportionately light because last year millers had been eager buyers, expecting a light crop, while this year they have been hanging back, expecting liberal offerings from a bumper crop. Primary receipts, while heavy at 1,457,816 bu, were 225,000 bu less than last year and under the clearances, which show no signs of falling off. The cash demand was reported out of line, but shippers worked about 100,000 bu. The seaboard reported only 60,000 bu taken for export. World's shipments were heavy at 10,400,000 bu, but America furnished all but 1,868,000 bu. The amount on ocean passage increased 1,672,000 bu, to 40,536,000 bu. Liverpool advanced 1d, to 7½d and Paris 1c to 1½c, in recognition of the government report.

Two-Cent Gain in Corn.

There was a big and excited trade in corn at the opening, with a subsequent quieting down. The absence of any large speculative short interest in the market was attested by the two facts that the extreme opening advance on the deplorable showing of crop conditions made by the government report was only 2c to 2½c, and sellers were more anxious than buyers. Profit-taking by big holders and through most of the leading commission houses was on a large scale, and, although there was a big general demand, prices gave way gradually with the volume of business much reduced on the decline. September opened from 60¾c to 61¼c, with the early trade mostly around 61c, dropped to 60c, and closed a split higher at a net gain of 1⅞c@2c. December sold at 54c, but lost 1¼c, closing at 52½c, a net gain of 2c, while May, after selling at 55¾c, closed 4c lower at a gain of 1¼c. Cables were a bull factor early, the Liverpool advance of 2½d to 2¾d being greater than the local gain.

The action of the market was an indication of the uncertainty which still exists whether prices for the present at least, do not discount the crop damage, regardless of future results. The slow cash situation added to the uncertainty. The seaboard reported recent buyers of round lots resellers at ¾c under the lowest Chicago offers for the day and the edge seemed to be off the demand at Kansas City, the price there about the same as here instead of 4c to 5c higher as it was recently. This situation increased the disposition to take profits. The increase in the visible supply of 602,000 bu, compared with a decrease of 900,000 bu a year ago, brought the total up to 13,206,000 bu, or 2,000,000 bu more than last year, not a drop in the bucket as compared with the tremendous shortage of 800,000,000 bu in the crop, but enough, perhaps, to make buyers timid at the price until a better demand for it develops. There was a sale of a small lot to go to the interior, and 52,000 bu were taken at the seaboard for export. Arrivals were 120 cars with 135 estimated for today. Clearances were light, 140,919 bu. There was a decrease of 64,000 bu on passage. World's shipments were 4,126,000 bu.

Oats Strongest Early.

Oats were higher in sympathy with corn and on the government report reducing the indicated yield to 610,000,000 bu, or 200,000,000 bu less than the crop of 1900. Like corn, they lost some of the early strength on liberal realizing, September sold at 37¾c early, dropping back to 36¾c, and closing at 37c split, a gain of 1¼c. December gained ¼c and May 1½c. There was considerable pressure on September by longs and some selling of May by elevators, country acceptance on bits having been fair. There was some stiffening, buying of September and selling of May, by McReynolds, Armour, and Pratt. Bullish feeling was tempered by the receipts, 391 cars, with 625 estimated for today. There was an increase of 98,000 bu in the visible supply and a decrease of 5,000 bu to 736,000 bu in local stocks. Seaboard clearances were 56,000 bu.

Provisions were active and higher, the market ruling wide ranges. January pork advanced 40c and January lard and ribs 12½c each. The advance in grain and the government confirmation of the corn loss were the factors in the upward turn of the market. September lines ranged from 5c to 10c higher than Saturday's closing, with free offerings. Commission houses were the principal buyers, and there was considerable covering by shorts.

The market opened steady, with prices a shade higher, but rather free offerings on the early advance. Hogs were active for the best grades, with the market firm and slightly higher. Other grades were easy. Local receipts were 30,000, against 38,000 last week and 32,000 a year ago. Estimated arrivals today are 26,000. Receipts at the principal Western packing points were 50,800, compared with 83,300 last week and 49,900 last year. Shipments of cut meats were 2,595,941 lbs, compared with 2,408,073 lbs last year; lard, 1,478,420 lbs, against 1,128,387 lbs a year ago.

Rye was active and firm from 1½c to 2c higher, with good local and speculative demand. September sold at 59½@60c, closing at 59¾c. December sold up to 62¾@63c, closing at 62½c. Receipts were 19 cars.

Barley was strong at unchanged prices. Receipts were more liberal, 20 cars arriving. Choice to good malting is quoted at 58@63c, with 60@63c for fancy. To arrive sales were made at 61@62c.

Saturday was 1½c higher for September and 10c higher for October. There was medium trading on the advance for futures, and cash sales included a couple of cars of new seed at top figures, some going at $5.70. Sales of September delivery were made at $5.65. The close was $5.65 bid and $5.70 asked. October sold at $5.40, closing there. Clover seed was inactive. Contract seed bid was quoted nominal at $10.25, and October delivery new was about $11.00.

Flaxseed was strong, with 2c paid for September over Saturday's close. October was ½c higher bid. Receipts were 41 cars in Chicago and 31 cars at Minneapolis. The closing quotations were: No. 1 Northwestern, $1.85; No. 1 Southwestern, $1.83; September, $1.62 bid, and October, $1.55½ bid.

Figures for the Day.

Grain and provision futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT.

	Closed Aug. 10.	High.	Low.	Closed yester-day.	Aug. 13, 1900.
Aug	71⅝	74½	71⅝	73¾	71¼
Sept	71⅝@¾	74½	73	73¾	75⅛@¼
Dec	72⅝	76⅞	72	76⅝	....
May	77¼	80⅛	77	79⅝	....

CORN.

Aug	58¾	....	....	59	37⅜@⅝
Sept	58⅞	61¼	60	60-1/4	37⅛
Dec	52¾	55	52¾	55⅜	....
May	62⅜	65¾	64	64⅝	....

OATS.

Aug	35½	....	....	36½	21⅜
Sept	35⅝	37⅛	36⅜	36⅝	21⅜
May	39⅝	39⅝	39⅛	40	....

PORK.

Sept	13.97½	14.12½	14.00	14.07½	11.60
Jan	15.00-2½	15.40	15.15	15.35	.....

LARD.

Sept	8.72½	8.77½	8.72½	8.77½	6.62½
Oct	8.50	8.57½	8.50	8.55	6.47½
Jan	8.80	8.92½	8.85	8.90	6.50

SHORT RIBS.

Sept	7.87½	7.95	7.90	7.95	7.02½
Oct	7.95	8.02½	7.95	8.02½	6.97½
Jan	7.50-2½	7.60	7.87½-90	7.85	5.97½

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 and better.	No. 3.	Low grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	144	77	6	227
Spring wheat	10	13	13	36
Corn	6	114	9	129
Oats	143	224	22	381
Rye	15	4	...	19
Barley	...	16	4	20
Totals	318	450	48	803

Inspected out: 40,200 bu each 78 cars winter wheat; 190,800 bu and 144 cars corn. From unlicensed elevators: 49,900 bu winter wheat; 36,800 bu corn.

The secretary of the Chicago Board of Trade gives the following as the visible supply of grain [bu]:

	Aug. 10, 1901.	Aug. 3, 1901.	July 27, 1901.	Aug. 11, 1900.
Wheat	28,319,000	30,369,000	29,264,000	48,216,000
Corn	13,296,000	12,694,000	13,387,000	11,351,000
Oats	4,060,000	4,254,000	5,067,000	5,560,000
Rye	732,000	656,000	558,000	625,000
Barley	520,000	313,000	308,000	350,000

Following are the changes for the week:

	Inc., bu.	Dec., bu.
Wheat		2,150,000
Corn	602,000	
Oats	98,000	
Rye	76,000	
Barley	7,000	

The following are the amounts of grain in store and afloat in the city on the dates named [bu]:

	Aug. 10, 1901.	Aug. 3, 1901.	July 27, 1901.	Aug. 11, 1900.
Wheat	4,071,000	3,845,000	3,924,000	10,200,000
Corn	7,374,000	6,967,000	6,813,000	1,546,000
Oats	786,000	741,000	870,000	1,755,000
Rye	140,000	142,000	146,000	358,000
Barley	2,000	1,000	1,000	5,000

Movement of Produce.

The following table exhibits the receipts and shipments of flour, grain, and provisions for the last forty-eight hours, as compared with the same time last year:

	Receipts— 1901.	1900.	Shipments— 1901.	1900.
Articles.				
Flour, brls	19,969	17,801	16,208	21,281
Wheat, bu	288,475	190,470	450,506	253,800
Corn, bu	462,976	166,750	188,500	201,350
Oats, bu	446,850	521,083	194,522	876,452
Rye, bu	21,000	11,000	11,000	9,700
Barley, bu	10,500	12,850	2,557	5,700
T. seed, lbs	24,800	102,800	2,656	165,386
F. seed, lbs	4,900	1,622	...	...
O. seed, lbs	900	2,120	3,116	240,567
C. seed, lbs	18,000	36,100	5,296	27,439
Provisions, lbs	630,740	483,083	2,595,941	2,408,073
Can. mts., cases	...	...	2,458	4,056
D. beef, lbs	660,218	843,653	3,198,567	3,138,350
Beef, tcs	13	...	14	53
Beef, brls	13	...	90	143
Pork, brls	5	100	251	746
Lard, lbs	193,200	.....	1,478,420	1,128,387

The receipts and shipments of wheat and corn at the points given were as follows:

	Receipts— Wheat.	Corn.	Shipments— Wheat.	Corn.
Western points.				
Chicago	1,457,816	484,046	450,506	188,595
Milwaukee	24,700	.....	3,750	.....
Min'ap'lis	297,900	11,550	30,450	910
Duluth	11,836	.....	161,456	150,714
St. Louis	269,000	56,000	95,000	58,000
Toledo	84,297	14,771	1,000	.....
Detroit	106,000	6,000	6,000	2,335
Kas. City	462,200	152,750	151,200	37,500
Peoria	13,300	64,000	500	7,000
Totals	1,457,816	484,046	900,170	423,985
Seaboard	188,850	115,000	289,046	191,994
New York	37,700	.....	.....	.....
Boston	21,762	.....	.....	.....
Ph'delphia	120,500	4,800	61,100	4,800
Baltimore	306,966	3,146	444,334	.....
N. Orleans	.....	.....	109,000	125
Galveston	84,150	.....	351,575	.....
Totals	730,128	122,946	1,247,853	196,919
Gr. totals	2,187,944	606,992	2,148,023	670,904
Same days, 1900	2,004,180	1,201,299	939,215	1,886,917

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Steady to firm, with improved local demand. Spring, special brands, $4.10@4.20; hard patents, $3.60@3.70; soft, $3.40@3.50; winter patents, Southern, $3.40@3.50; straights, $3.20@3.30; white rye, bris, $2.70@2.80; dark, $2.50@2.60.

WINTER WHEAT—About 2@2½c higher and in good demand. Sales in store and to go: No. 2 red, 74c and 225,000 bu for shipment on p. t.; No. 3 red, 73¼c; No. 2 hard, 73½c and 50,000 bu for shipment on p. t.; No. 3 hard, 73½c. On track: No. 2 red, 74¼@75c; No. 3 hard, 73¼@73¾c; No. 2 hard, 73¾c. Free on board: No grade, red, 64c; No. 3, 73¼@74c; No. 2 red, 74¼@74½c; No. 3 hard, 73¼c; No. 2 hard, 73¼@74¼c; not graded, 74c. Billed through: No. 4, 70c; No. 3, 73c; No. 2 Northern, 74½c.

CORN—About 1½@2c higher. Sales in store and to go: No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 3, 59c; No. 3 yellow, 59½c. On track and free on board: No. 3, 58¾@59¼c; No. 3 yellow, 59¾@60c; No. 2 white, 61¼@62c. Billed through: No. 4, 56@56¾c; No. 3, 57½c; No. 3 yellow, 57¼@59c; No. 3 white, 59¾@60c.

OATS—Active and ½@1c higher, with liberal offerings, and all taken. Sales in store and to go: No. 3 new, 36¼@38¼c; No. 3 white, new, 39@39¼c; No. 2, 37@37½c; No. 2 white, new, 39@39½c. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 37¾@38c; No. 4 white new, 38¼@39c; No. 3 new, 36¾@37c; No. 3 white new, 39@39½c; old, 39¼@39½c; No. 2 new, 37¼@37¾c; No. 2 white new, 39¼@39½c. Billed through: No grade, 33c; No. 4 white new, 37½@38¼c; old, 37@38¼c; No. 3 new, 36@37½c; No. 3 white new, 37¾@38¾c; old, 36¼@36¾c; No. 2 white new, 38¼@39½c.

RYE—Firm and about 2c higher, with good speculative demand. Sales in store and to go: No. 2, 60c. On track: No. 2, 59¾c. Free on board: No. 2, 59¾@60c; No. 3, 59¼@59¾c.

BARLEY—Strong, with good demand. Sales free on board: One car inferior tailings, $10.00 a ton; old screenings, 50½c; barley, 50@54c. To arrive: 20,000 bu, 61c and 62c.

PROVISIONS—From 15c to 25c higher, with fair demand. Cash lots mess pork were quotable at $14.05@14.10; repacked, 10@12½c discount; lard, $8.72½@8.75; short ribs, $7.85@8.00, according to weight.

COOPERAGE—Steady, with moderate demand, at 82½@85c for ash pork brls and 85@87½c for oak and $1.02½@1.05 for hardwoods.

WHISKY—Basis for finished goods, $1.30.

HAY—Firm, with good demand and fair offerings. Sales, including those on track, were: Choice timothy, new, $15.25@16.00; No. 1 timothy, new, $14.00@15.00; No. 2 timothy, new, $14.00; No. 3 timothy, new, $13.50; not graded timothy, old, $12.00; choice prairie, Iowa, $14.50; Nebraska, $14.00@14.50; Wisconsin, $12.00; No. 1 prairie, State, $10.25@11.00; No. 2 prairie, Kansas, $13.00.

Estimated receipts for today: 410 cars wheat, 155 cars corn, 625 cars oats, and 20,000 hogs.

The George H. Phillips company filed with Secretary Stone yesterday the report of the May "blind pool" called for by the directors at the instance of George L. Inman, one of the customers. The document is understood to show all the transactions in detail, the aggregate quantity traded in being 14,325,000 bu. The average profit, it is intimated, was something under 5c per bu, at which figure the members of the pool would have taken $1,145,000 out of the corn pit.

The moderate advance in corn was a surprise and disappointment to traders, who had counted on something more spectacular and sky reaching. Commission houses had orders from "long" customers to sell out September at 62c to 64c, or 1 to 3c above the highest opening and best price of the day. One broker started out on the tap of the bell with excited bids of 62c for 25,000 bu September, but woke up to the fact that it was 61c sellers a few feet from him before any one was quick enough to supply him at the higher figure.

A committee of directors is investigating the methods of the Feed Dealers' association, and will report its finding today. That organization has a membership of 300, some thirty of whom are members of the board as well, including seventeen members of the Board Brokers' association, which is subject to the rules of the Feed Dealers' association. One of those rules is that the hay receivers can only sell to regular dealers, and members of the board not dealers have been unable to buy hay on the floor at prices offered to others. The point is raised whether the board can permit its members to be regulated in their operations on the floor by any outside organization without suffering a loss of some of the dignity of the body that the directors are always scrupulous in maintaining.

According to a report from Wichita, Kas., there is a wider spread between wheat and corn there than this market, with the relative positions reversed, corn selling there at 75c and wheat at 60c.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Railroad Stocks, and Other Securities at the Hub.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Boston had an increased amount of business in Steel and Sugar, and not much else to distinguish its market from preceding days. Calumet and Hecla fell from 717 to 705 on sales of 61 shares. In the afternoon one share sold at 700.

Mining stocks otherwise were so dull fluctuations were out of the question. Isle Royale lost 12 to 41 in the afternoon; Osceola hardened 1 to 96¼.

Call loans, 4@5 per cent. Time loans, collateral, 4@5 per cent. Time loans, mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent. Clearing-house loans, 3@4 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	700	71	72⅛	71	72⅛
Do pfd	500	94¼	94⅞	94¼	94⅝
American Tel	200	160½	160½	160	160
Sugar	4,500	133	135¼	129½	131¼
Adventure	250	24	24	24	24
Allouez	300	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Amal. Copper	1,200	111¼	112⅝	111¼	112½
Baltic	150	51	51	50½	50½
Calumet	100	717	717	700	702
Fitchburg, pfd	100	145	145	145	145
Isle Royal	1,000	141½	141½	141	141¼
Mass. Electric	1,000	37⅛	37⅝	37½	...
Do pfd	50	86	86	86	86
Michigan	100	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Mohawk	30	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼
N. E. Cokes	500	51	51	51	51
Osceola	300	96	96	96	96
Pere Marquette pfd	45	80	80	79¾	80
Tri-Mountain	100	51	51	51	51
Union Pacific	1,200	94⅛	95¾	94	95¼
Un. Fruit	1,800	89½	90⅝	89	90¼
Utah	50	29½	29½	29	29
Westinghouse pfd	10	78	78	78	78

BONDS.

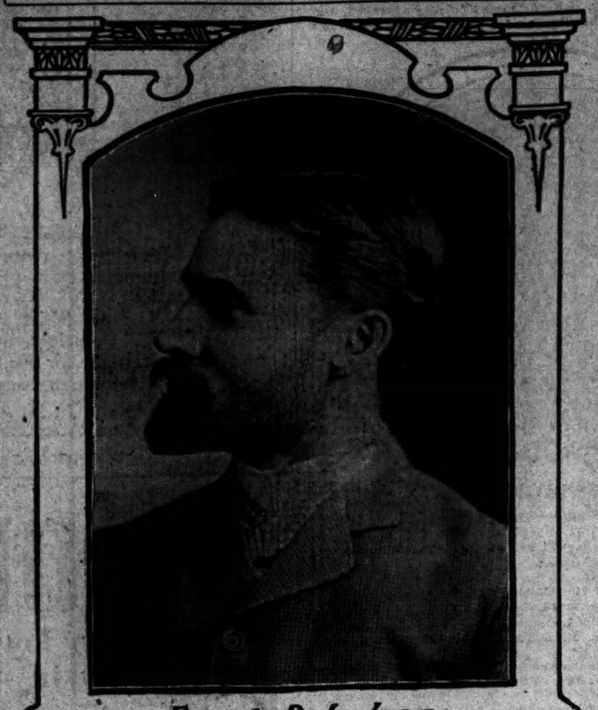
$3000 Atch adj 4s	90⅝	$3000 N. E. Coke 5s	52
$500 Steel deb 5s	101		

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12.—Today's statement of the Treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows:

Available cash balance	$175,718,052
Gold	108,411,826
Silver	24,260,787
United States notes	13,771,149
Treasury notes of 1890	155,186
National bank notes	8,650,665

SECRETARY ILLINOIS BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.



Frank P. Judson, assistant cashier of the Bankers' National Bank, has won new prominence through his efficient service for the last three years as secretary of the Illinois Bankers' association. Mr. Judson was born in 1863 at Belvidere, Ill., where he attended the common school and the high school. He had his first banking experience as a messenger. When the Bankers' National was organized here in 1893 he was made paying teller, and two years later, at the time John C. Craft was elected cashier, Mr. Judson was promoted to assistant cashier. He has the reputation of a careful, obliging bank official in his contact with the public.

CALL SHELBY PRICE LOW.

STEEL TUBE SHAREHOLDERS DISSATISFIED WITH SALE.

Think They Should Get More in Absorption by United States Steel Corporation—American Can Stocks Improve Under Influence of New York Market—Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Balance Sheet—Railroad Earnings—Sales on the Local Exchange Light.

Considerable dissatisfaction is manifested among stockholders of the Shelby Steel Tube company at the terms given the concern in its absorption by the United States Steel corporation. It is understood in La Salle street that one share of United States Steel common will be exchanged for four shares of Shelby common, and one share of steel preferred for two and one-third shares of Shelby preferred, making the deal far from a lucrative one for shareholders of the smaller company.

When the present Shelby company was formed shareholders in the old Shelby company were given 50 per cent in new preferred and 75 per cent in new common for one share of old. New stock was also issued to subscribers who received one share of preferred and one of common for a bonus. The company paid two dividends at the rate of 7 per cent on its preferred stock, but passed the payment for the third quarter, and has not resumed since. The last dividend was paid on Aug. 15, 1900. Stockholders say that they have not been able to get any official information regarding the company. No statement of earnings has been issued, and the company's stock has been drooping steadily.

When the deal with the United States Steel corporation was first entered into it revived Shelby stock a little, but subsequent reports that negotiations were not progressing at all satisfactorily counteracted the good effect of the news. The first reports of the terms at which Shelby stock would be taken in while a long way below the underwriting figure were higher than the level on which Shelby stock appears to have settled—that is, 37½ for the preferred and 9½ to 10 for the common.

The company formerly manufactured bicycle tubing, but the falling off in that business compelled it to reequip its mills for other forms of tubing. It was then in competition with the National Tube company, a constituent concern of the United States Steel corporation.

American Can Is Higher.

American Can stocks moved up sharply yesterday on the local exchange under the influence of the improved position of United States Steel in New York. At the close the common stock showed a net gain of 1⅝ and the preferred of 1½. Trading was on a small scale, and the issues rose easily.

Dullness characterized the trading in the rest of the list. National Biscuit, which was the most active security next to Can, advanced ⅞ on sales of 600 shares. In all other stocks business was unusually light. Shelby Steel Tube common being the only other issue to have sales of more than 50 shares. Shelby Tube was a trifle better at 10. The bond list was quiet.

United States Cast Iron Pipe.

The annual report of the United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry company for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1901, does not show earnings. The surplus on that date was $500,360. The balance sheet as of May 31 is as follows:

ASSETS.

Treasury stock	$ 347,555
Unissued stock	5,000,000
Sinking fund	81,797
Plant investment	24,066,941
Cash	260,568
Raw and manufactured material	1,852,593
Account receivable	1,354,136
Total	$32,990,886

LIABILITIES.

Preferred stock	$15,000,000
Common stock	15,000,000
Am. Pipe and Fdy. Co. bonds	1,194,000
Anniston mortgage bonds	245,000
Bills and accounts payable	1,191,505
Surplus	500,380
Total	$32,990,886

Railroad Earnings.

Railroad earnings are reported as follows:

DENVER AND RIO GRANDE.

	1901.	1900.	Increase.
First week Aug...	$ 213,700	$ 211,100	$ 2,600
From July 1.....	1,287,500	1,188,800	98,700

MEXICAN CENTRAL.

First week Aug...	$ 260,049	$ 251,541	$ 8,508
From Jan. 1.....	10,609,853	10,325,472	*15,620

ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN.

First week Aug...	$ 117,446	$ 108,105	$ 9,341
From July 1.....	625,801	575,940	49,361

LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE.

First week Aug...	$ 557,508	$ 482,088	$ 75,420
From July 1.....	2,845,435	2,632,294	213,141

RIO GRANDE WESTERN.

First week Aug...	$ 95,000	$ 69,200	$ 25,800
From July 1.....	524,400	459,100	65,300

TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WESTERN.

July—Gross.....	$ 93,908	$ 103,402	*$ 9,494
Net.....	29,008	29,387	*379
From Jan. 1:			
Gross.....	644,846	615,788	29,060
Net.....	149,400	150,039	*1,239
First week Aug...	19,521	21,734	*2,213
From July 1.....	113,429	124,136	*10,707

MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS.

First week Aug...	$ 202,114	$ 231,980	$ 60,134
From July 1.....	1,547,158	1,176,939	370,219

CLEVELAND, LORAIN AND WHEELING.

First week Aug...	$ 46,514	$ 44,521	$ 1,993
From July 1.....	251,394	214,528	37,011

MEXICAN NATIONAL.

First week Aug...	$ 127,700	$ 140,756	*$ 13,056
From Jan. 1.....	4,608,713	4,769,416	*160,703

GRAND TRUNK SYSTEM.

First week Aug...	$ 566,144	$ 537,976	$ 28,168
From July 1.....	2,932,114	2,715,474	216,640

EVANSVILLE AND TERRE HAUTE.

First week Aug...	$ 29,851	$ 28,537	$ 1,314
From July 1.....	149,779	148,114	11,965

DENVER AND RIO GRANDE.

First week Aug...	$ 213,700	$ 211,100	$ 2,600
From July 1.....	1,287,500	1,188,800	98,700

CANADIAN PACIFIC.

First week Aug...	$ 668,000	$ 565,000	$ 103,000
From Jan. 1.....	17,999,983	17,114,038	885,945

KANAWHA AND MICHIGAN.

First week Aug...	$ 15,901	$ 15,409	$ 492
From July 1.....	90,769	81,780	8,989

CENTRAL OF GEORGIA.

First week Aug...	$ 128,123	$ 111,290	$ 16,835
From July 1.....	700,068	634,374	65,694

TEXAS AND PACIFIC.

First week Aug...	$ 155,478	$ 133,956	$ 21,522
From Jan. 1.....	6,442,810	4,776,046	1,666,264

*Decrease.

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the American Cereal company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable on Aug. 20.

The American Coal company has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent and an extra dividend of 1 per cent, payable on Sept. 5.

Financial Topics.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad gives notice to the stockholders of its 4 per cent tenyear gold convertible debentures, or the full paid subscriptions therefor, that, beginning on Sept. 12 and thereafter until further notice, upon thirty days' previous notice, the holders thereof, by writing to the company, can convert the bonds into common stock at par.

At a special meeting of the National Enameling and Stamping company, held at Jersey City yesterday, the resolution of the directors to issue $2,500,000 5 per cent bonds to take up the company's floating debt was ratified.

Of the $85,000,000 fifty-year gold bonds of the St. Louis and San Francisco road just issued $62,000,000 will be used for refunding purposes and $22,500,000 for improvements and acquiring additional property.

Call money ruled in New York yesterday at 2¼ per cent. At the close money was offered at 2 per cent and the last loan was at that rate.

The Northwestern Elevated road has ordered fifteen new motor cars and forty-five trailers for delivery this fall, when heavier traffic is anticipated.

Directors of the National Biscuit company will meet in New York on Thursday to declare quarterly dividends. The usual rates are expected.

A New York firm which is a large holder of Bay State Gas stock individually and at the request of other holders has engaged lawyers to examine into the numerous suits in which the company is involved. The transfer agents of the company were willing to give the firm which is making the inquiry a list of shareholders, but the management removed the transfer books to Philadelphia and the firm was informed that stock would not be transferred in either city. The firm thereupon advertised for names and addresses of stockholders, and has received answers from holders of over 600,000 shares.

Directors of the Norfolk and Western railroad will consider the question of dividends on the common stock at a meeting about Nov. 1.

Foreign exchange was dull yesterday at the following figures in Chicago:

	Demand.	60 days.
Sterling—		
Actual	487⅞	483⅞
Commercial	486¾	484⅛
Paris francs—		
Actual	5.18¾	5.18⅝
Commercial	5.17½	5.20
German marks—		
Actual	95¼	95
Commercial	95⅛	94⅞

Closing prices on curb stocks in New York yesterday were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	34	34¼
Do pfd	75¼	76
American Hide & Leather	30	35
Do pfd	¾	1
Bay State Gas	13	14
Compressed Air	21	21
Electric Boat	40	45
Do pfd	85	90
Electric Vehicle	10	15
Do pfd	1¼	1⅝
Electro Pneumatic	½	1
General Carriage	5	6½
Havana Comml. Co	43½	43¾
Do pfd	80½	81
N. Y. Elec. Vehicle Trans.	24	28
Phila. Pneumatic & L. E.	25	30
Otis Elevator	99¾	100
Royal Baking Powder pfd	117½	117½
Seaboard Air Line	31¾	32¼
Do pfd	61½	62½
Do 4s	77¾	78
Standard Oil	773	775
Storage Power	6	7
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	6¼	7
Do pfd	33	34

Sales on the Chicago Exchange.

Sales on the Chicago Stock Exchange yesterday were as follows:

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	1,800	34¼	33½	34¼
Do pfd	300	74	73¾	74
Chicago Union Traction	30	15⅝	15¼	15⅝
Do pfd	50	68	68	68
Lake Street Elevated	15	13¾	13¾	13¾
National Biscuit	605	42⅝	42	42⅝
Do pfd	35	102	102	102
National Carbon	50	17¾	17¾	17¾
Shelby Steel Tube	200	10	10	10
Street's Stable Car	50	22	22	22

BONDS.

$2000 Met. L. 4s	102	$4000 W. Chi 1st mtg. 5s	110¼
1000 N. West El 5s	103		

Clearings at the larger cities yesterday and a week ago were:

	Aug. 12.	Aug. 5.
New York	$104,706,130	$100,960,808
Chicago	22,879,843	23,491,642
Boston	16,821,159	17,470,144
Philadelphia	10,891,260	11,009,630
St. Louis	4,277,954	4,443,814
Baltimore	2,550,048	2,776,058

New York exchange sold yesterday as follows: Chicago, 10c discount before clearings; 15c discount after. St. Louis, 30c discount bid; 20c discount asked.

IN FOREIGN MONEY MARKETS.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, and Other Securities at London, Paris, and Berlin.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says:

"The stock market continues firm, but this firmness is not accompanied by any business to speak of in view of tomorrow's settlement. Some large gold arrivals helped conditions.

"American stocks hesitated at the start on the disappointing crop reports. New York sent in the morning heavy selling orders, particularly in the Atchisons and Union Pacific. London regarded this as a ruse by Wall street intended to cause a panic over here, but speculation was so small that the effect was merely nominal. The market was at first idle, and then New York sent prices half an hour late. The steel stocks led in a sharp rally. The market hardened quietly to the finish.

"The Bank of England has received £80,000 gold in bars, and has bought £445,000 in India and £30,000 in Australia. It is expected that the bank will receive £3,000 African gold that arrived on Saturday; also half a million due this week from India. Paris exchange is 25.21; Berlin exchange, 20.45½."

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Consols for money, 94 3-16; for the account, 94¼; Anaconda, 8⅞; Atchison, 75⅜; do pfd., 97; Baltimore and Ohio, 98½; Canadian Pacific, 110⅞; Chesapeake and Ohio, 45; Chicago Great Western, 22; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 160; Denver and Rio Grande, 42; do pfd., 92½; Erie, 36½; do 1st pfd., 65½; do 2d pfd, 50; Illinois Central, 146; Louisville and Nashville,

GOOD SUPPORT IN MARKET

WALL STREET INFLUENCED BY CONFLICTING IDEAS.

Refusal of Workers to Join Big Strike Offset by Government Report on the Crop Damage—Steel Stocks Active and Show Good Net Gains—Railroads Show Weakness, but Financiers Risk Order and a Quick Recovery Ensues.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Today's security market opened under the influence of conflicting developments. On the one hand was the virtual breakdown of the steel strike, and on the other hand was a notable attempt to minimize the favorable features of the government crop report by "private" estimates of the gloomiest character.

Some idea of how the market would take the differing news and rumors could be gathered in advance from London quotations, American stocks opening there quite weak, but sharply rallying to New York's Saturday parity. In the home market Steel stocks opened up, large buying orders being executed. Both issues were in active demand all day, 40,000 shares of common stock being traded in at a net advance of 1¼, and 17,000 shares of the preferred at an advance of 3 points. In each case closing quotations were the highest.

The signal failure of response to the orders of the Amalgamated association virtually reduces the strike to a mere local affair, a particularly severe blow from the strikers' standpoint being the refusal of the employes of the Federal Steel company at South Chicago and Joliet, and in Wisconsin, to go out. The response was altogether out of proportion to the preliminary estimates of the strike leaders.

In the railway list there was some early hesitation, accompanied by small declines, but here also strong supporting orders became manifest and quick recovery ensued. The total of the day's transactions was small—about 800,000 shares—and in only six issues, apart from the steel, was the 10,000 limit exceeded. These were Sugar Refining, Atchison, St. Paul, Missouri Pacific, Southern Pacific, and Union Pacific, and all of them excepting Sugar scored substantial net advances, extending to 1⅜ each in St. Paul and Southern Pacific. Sugar sold down nearly 3 points, closing with a net decrease of 2 points on rumors of the grave illness of Mr. Havemeyer and his possible retirement from the Presidency of the company.

A notable net recovery of 2¼ points took place in People's Gas, indicating possible abandonment of the Chicago bear position. Other stocks lightly traded in but exhibiting strength were Car and Foundry, Smelters, Consolidated Gas, Erie, Illinois Central, Louisville and Nashville, National Salt preferred, North American, Pacific Mail, Reading, Tennessee Coal and Iron, and Western Union. Exceptional weakness was disclosed in Rock Island, Glucose, and Iowa Central preferred.

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American Can was decidedly stronger on the curb, and the common stock was also fairly active. It advanced to 24 points on the purchase of 700 shares, and closed at that price, with a net gain of 1 point. A net gain of three-quarters of a point was recorded in the preferred stock, which ended the day at 79¾ bid. The news in regard to the steel stocks was taken as more favorable than expected, and this opinion was reflected in the advances made in the stock of the American Can company, which is indirectly concerned in the suspension of work by the steel and iron workers.

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The grain situation is making for betterment as regards the security market. Wheat enjoyed an advance today of over 2c a bu on continued export demand. Corn advanced 5c and closed on a reaction about 2c higher for the day. Advancing quotations for corn are now a distinctly favorable element.

IN NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Railroad Stocks, and Other Securities in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The government crop report had a depressing effect on railroad stocks at the opening, and some sharp declines were made, particularly in Rock Island, Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, and Atchison. Trading then lapsed into semi-stagnation, but fluctuations were unimportant until near the close, when the shorts bought all around and lifted the market substantially above Saturday's closing prices.

People's Gas showed no trace of its recent liquidation and moved strongly upwards, ending 2¼ higher. The latter upward movement in the railroad list carried a number of stocks up from 1 to 2¼ above the early low prices, with the improvement most pronounced in Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, St. Paul, and Atchison. The closing was fairly active and strong.

The bond market was quiet and but few changes of importance were made. Total sales, par value, $1,015,000.

Close: Money on call closed steady at 2@2½ last loan, 2. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼@487¾ for demand and at 485¾@485¼ for sixty days; posted rates, 486@486¼ and 488½@489; commercial bills, 484¾@485.

Bar silver, 58¼c; Mexican dollars, 46c. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular; State bonds steady.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Ap. 12	Ap. 10.
Amer. Car & F., pf.	100	133¾	133¾	133¼	133
Amer. Tob. ctfs.	900	132	131	131	
Amer. Locomotive	700	23	23	22	
Amer. Cotton Oil	300	33½	33¼	33¼	33
Amer. Smelting	3,200	51½	50¾	51¼	50¾
Do pf.	900	93¾	93¼	93¾	93¼
Anal. Copper	5,100	112¾	111¾	112	111¾
Atchison	27,100	72½	70¾	72	72
Do pf.	4,400	94¾	94	94¾	94¾
Amer. Malting Co.	100	6¾	6¾	6¾	7
Amer. Ice Pour'y.	1,000	22	22	22	23
Do pf.	100	89	89	89¼	89¼
Amer. Ice	100	33	33	33	32
Do pf.	100	99	99	99	98½
Balt. & Ohio, Trus.	1,000	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
Bal. & Ohio	1,700	96¾	96¼	96¾	96
Do pf.	100	96	96	96	
Can. & Atlan.	1,100	51¾	51¼	51¾	51
Can. So.	500	76	76		
Ches. & Ohio	19,700	158¾	156	158¾	156¾
Chi. & Alton	1,100	37	36¾	37	36¾
Do pf.	1,100	78	77¾	78	77¾
Chi. & E. Ill.	500	157	157	157	157
Chi. & E. Ill., pf.	100	97	97	97	
Chi. Gt. W.	1,100	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Chi. Gt. W., pf.	1,100	18¼	17¾	18¼	18¼
Do inc.	400	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Chi. Southern	900	23	22¾	23	23
Do 1st pf.	500	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
Do 2d pf.	500	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
Chi. Term.	1,500	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Chi. Term., pf.	1,500	20	19¾	20	21¼
Cal. Fruit Exch.	1,500	21¾	20¾	21¾	21¾
Cal. Tobacco	200	46	46	46	46
Do pf.	8,900	86¾	83¾	86¾	85¾
Colo. Fuel & Iron	200	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Col. & S. of Bergen	100	53	53	53	53
Consol. Electric	300	25¾	25¾	25¾	24¾
Consol. Gas	1,600	205	203	205	203
Del. & Hud.	400	178	178	178	176
Del., Lack. & West.	400	52	52	52	52
Den. & Rio Grande	100	74¾	74¾	74¾	
Do pf.	100	90	90	90	
Erie	1,500	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Erie 1st pf.	1,500	43¾	42	43¾	42
Erie 2d pf.	800	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
Ft. Wayne	200	176	176	176	
Gen. Electric	100	176	176	176	
Glucose Sug.	1,100	42¾	41¾	42¾	42¾
Do pf.	100	104	104	104	
Hock. Val.	1,100	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Hock. Val., pf.	100	96	96	96	
Illinois Central	1,100	142¾	142	142¾	142
Int. Paper	1,500	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Do pf.	800	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
Int. Pump	100	76¾	76¾	76¾	
Do pf.	100	96	96	96	
Iowa Central	2,600	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Do pf.	300	60	60	60	60
Jack., Tam. & K. W.	100	120	120	120	
Kan. & Tex.	300	32	31¾	32	31¾
Kan. & Tex., pf.	600	72	72	72	72
Keok. & Des M.	100	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
Keok. & Des M., pf.	600	82¾	81¾	82¾	82¾
Lake Erie & W.	100	26	26	26	26
Do pf. (ltd.)	300	73½	73½	73½	73½
Lake Shore	10	196	196	196	194¾
Long Island	100	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Louisville & Nash.	2,600	107¾	106¾	107¾	107¾
Manhattan	1,100	42¾	41¾	42¾	42¾
Metropolitan St.	100	176	176	176	176
Mexican Central	1,400	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Mexican Nat'l	1,400	32¾	31¾	32¾	31¾
Minn. & St. L.	100	98	98	98	98
Do pf.	1,400	51¼	49¾	51¼	51
Missouri Pacific	8,100	110¾	108¾	110¾	108¾
Mobile & Ohio	3,700	43	42¾	43	42¾
Nash., Chat. & St. L.	300	90	90	90	88
National Steel Car	800	41¾	40¾	41¾	42¾
Do pf.	1,500	89	89	89	89
N. J. Central	100	151	151	151	150¾
N. Y. Central	1,100	141¾	141¾	141¾	141¾
N. Y., Chi. & St. L.	100	31	31	31	31
Do 1st pf.	100	84	84	84	84
Do 2d pf.	400	74	73¾	74	73¾
N. Y., Ont. & West.	2,100	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Norfolk & West.	1,100	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾
Do pf.	1,100	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
North American	1,100	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Pacific Mail	3,700	43	42¾	43	42¾
People's Gas	8,100	110¾	108¾	110¾	108¾
Pressed Steel Car	800	41¾	40¾	41¾	42¾
Do pf.	1,500	89	89	89	89
Pullman Palace	100	211	211	211	211
Reading	2,100	51¾	50¾	51¾	50¾
Do 1st pf.	100	81	81	81	80¾
Do 2d pf.	100	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
Rock Island	1,100	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
Do pf.	2,100	74	73¾	74	73¾
Rio Grande West.	1,100	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Do pf.	1,100	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Rio Grande Sou.	100	30	30	30	30
Do 1st pf.	200	61	61	61	60¾
Do 2d pf.	400	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
St. Joseph & G. I.	100	51	51	51	50¾
St. Joseph & G. I., pf.	100	74	74	74	73¾
St. Louis & S. F.	2,100	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
St. L. & S. F., pf.	1,100	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
St. L. & S. W.	1,100	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
St. L. & S. W., pf.	1,100	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
St. Paul	8,100	170¾	168¾	170¾	168¾
Southern Pacific	25,100	54¾	53¾	54¾	53¾
Southern Ry.	1,100	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
Do pf.	1,100	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
Tenn. Coal & I.	1,100	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
Texas Pacific	35,500	35¾	34¾	35¾	34¾
Tol., St. L. & W.	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Do pf.	100	54	54	54	
Union Pacific	900	112¾	111¾	112¾	111¾
Do pf.	1,100	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
U. S. Leather	400	12	12¾	13	12¾
Do pfd.	100	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
U. S. Steel	40,200	45¾	44¾	45¾	44¾
Do pfd.	16,700	92¾	91¾	93¾	90¾
Wheeling & L. E.	800	15	14¾	15	14¾
Do 1st pfd.	400	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Do 2d pfd.	300	29	29	29	29
Wabash	5,400	21¾	20¾	21¾	20¾
Do pfd.	5,400	35¾	34¾	35¾	35¾
Wis. Cent.	1,000	30¾	29¾	30¾	30
Do pfd.	400	74	74	74	
Western Union	1,900	95¾	91¾	95¾	91¼
Va. Car. Chem.	100	122	121	121	
Total sales, 380,100 shares.					

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	175	United States	85
American	193	Wells Fargo	140

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s reg.	107¾	U. S. old 4s reg	113
U. S. reg. 2s coup.	107¾	U. S. old 4s coup	113
U. S. 3s reg	106¼	U. S. 5s reg	107¾
U. S. 3s coup	106¼	U. S. 5s coup	107¾
U. S. new 4s reg	137	Dis. of Col. 3.65s	124
U. S. new 4s coup	137		

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS—10 A. M. TO 2 P. M.

19000 Ate gen 4s	103¾@104	5000 Mohawk-M 5s	106¾
6000 do adjmt stamp	94¾	2000 Nat Starch 6s	110
20000 B-O S W 5s	110¾@110¾	2000 Nat Starch 6s	110
12000 Pkin El 4s	100¼@100¾	11000 N-W con 7s	101¼@102
5000 Cent Ga con 5s	106¼	10000 N Y gen 5s	117¾@118
3000 do 1st inc	78	4000 N Y G-E 4s	95¼
21000 C Pac 3½s	87¾	3000 N C-St L 1st	120½
175000 C B-Q joint 4s	107¾	2000 N P gen 3s	67¾
2000 do con 7s	107	10000 P-E 1st	97½
5000 C-O 1st	107¾	10000 do inc	65¼
11900 C M-St P C-S 6s	130¾@130¾	1000 R G-W 1st	101¾
15000 do H-D 7s	120¾	17000 St L-S W 1st	97@97¼
2000 C Ter 5s	106½	2000 St L-S W 2d	116
4000 Colo So 4s	87¾@87¾	2000 St L-S F gen 6s	125
5000 D T-V-G reorg 4s	71¼	10000 St P-S C 1st	116¾
12000 Erie gen 4s	85¼@85¾	20000 S A-A P 4s	85¾
5000 do con 4s	90	5000 So Pac 4s	91¼
15000 Erie Penna coll 4s	104¼@104¾	11000 So Pac 5s	111¾
2000 T-P-C coll tr 4s	79¾	16000 U P 4s	104¼@104¾
1000 do L-C Ala 5s	111	10000 U P con 4s	104¼@104¾
1000 Mo P 5s	101¾	9000 Wab 1st 5s	118
1000 M K-T 1st 4s	97	52000 do deb B	60¾@61¼
1000 Mo P 5s	101¾	2000 Wis C 4s	88
Total sales, $1,024,000.			

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

Current and Closing Quotations on Dry Goods, Poultry, Butter, Coffee, and Metals.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Dry goods—There has been some improvement today in the general run of the market for cotton goods, but it has hardly amounted to a change in the general disposition of buyers. The tone is unaltered throughout and prices show no change. The print cloth division is dull. In woolen goods the American Woolen company has advanced piece ones for men's wear 5c per yard.

Poultry; Alive and Dressed.

Poultry—Alive—Spring chickens, Western, four pounds or over to pair, per lb, 18½c; do, under four pounds or over to pair, per pound, 18@20c; do, mixed sizes, 15@17c; do, Western, dry picked, large, 13@14c; do, scalded, 12c; do, small, dry picked or scalded, 10@11c; fowls, Western, dry picked, average best, 9c; scalded, 8½@9c; do, Southwestern, dry picked, 8¼@9c; do, Western and Southwestern, poor to good, 7@8c; ducks, spring, Long Island and other near by, per lb, 13½c; do, Western, 7@9c; geese, spring, Eastern, white, 16c.

Butter of All Grades.

Butter—Creamery, extras, per lb, 20¼c; do, firsts, 19@20c; do, seconds, 17½@18¼c; State dairy, tubs, fancy, 18¼@19c; do, firsts, 17½@18c; do, seconds, 16@17c; do, thirds, 14@17c; Western imitation creamery, fancy, 16½@17½c; do, firsts, 15@16c; do, lower grades, 14@14½c; Western factory, June packed, finest, 15@15½c; do, current packed, best, 14½c; do, fair to good, 13¾@14c; do, lower grades, 12¼@13½c; renovated butter, fancy, 17@17½c; do, common to choice, 14@16½c; packing stock, 12@14c.

Slight Decline in Coffee.

Coffee—Spot Rio was dull at 5¾c for No. 7. Sales, 900 bags Central America. Futures declined 5 to 10 points and closed quiet. Sales, 16,000 bags. Havre was unchanged. Hamburg was unchanged to ¼ pfg lower. American warehouse deliveries last week, 79,746 bags, against 80,683 in the previous week and 38,127 last year. Rio steady at 75 reis decline. Exchange, 10 5-16d (1-16d decline). Receipts, 18,000 bags. Stock, 442,000. Santos quiet at unchanged prices. Receipts, 12,000 bags. Stock, 730,000. Interior receipts, 44,500 bags.

In the Metal Market.

Trading in the local metal market was slower today than for some time. In London pig tin scored a net rise of £1 10s and futures were 15s higher. Here the market ruled quiet but sympathetically steady at $27.00@27.30 for spot. Copper was featureless and unchanged. Lead was again featureless and unchanged at $4.37½. Spelter was without change at $3.90@3.95 and quiet. Iron continues dull, with values in buyers' favor. Pig iron warrants, $9.50@10.00; No. 1 foundry, Northern, $15.00@15.50; No. 2 foundry, Southern, $14.00@14.50; No. 1 foundry, Southern, $14.75@15.25; No. 1 foundry, Southern, soft, $14.75@15.25.

PRODUCE LINES ARE STEADY.

Market Well Supplied with All Kinds of Fruits and Vegetables—Eggs Are Easier.

Receipts of produce for nearly all lines were more liberal yesterday. The demand was good and trading in South Water street brisk. Prices for some lines were easier, but the general tone of the market was steady to firm.

Peaches from Georgia were in large supply and from 30c to 40c lower for 6-basket cases. Susquehanna peaches from Lodi, Cal., were also in demand at $1.25 a box. The movement in Michigan peaches is rather light yet.

Malaga grapes from California were quoted at $2.00@2.25 a box; Arkansas, 75c for 20-lb boxes of six baskets, while other varieties ranged from 20c to 30c a 4½-lb basket. The market is overstocked with fine quality lemons, the cold weather lessening the demand and causing lower prices.

Quotations on round lots were as follows:

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, loss off, cases	Cheese, fancy
Returned	brick
Eggs, at mark, cases	Butter, creamery
returned	extra
Eggs, checks	firsts
Seconds, case	Seconds
Cheese, fancy	Dairies
Cheese, twins	Ladles

POULTRY.

Iced chickens, scalded	Live turkeys, lb
Do, dry picked	Chickens
Do, roosters	Ducks, spring, lb
Iced turkeys	Geese, doz

VEALS.

60@90 lbs	100@110 lbs
90@70 lbs	110@120 lbs
80@100 lbs	120@200 lbs

FISH.

Black bass, lb	Pickerel
Carp	Pike
Eels	Perch

FRUITS.

Apples, good to choice	bbls, cases
Apples, fancy	Cherries, 16 qts, sour
Lemons, Cal. fancy packed	cases
Do, Messina	Peaches, Mich., basket
Pineapples, Fla., crates	Do, Ky., by bu
Oranges, Valencias	Do, Del., basket cases
Do, Mediterranean sweets	Do, Texas, 4-basket cases
Blueberries, 16 qt.	Do, Ga., carriers
Blackberries, qts	Gems, lbl., ½-bu
Do, crates	Do, crates, 45-55 lbs
Bananas, bch	Watermelons, Georgia, per car
Grapes, Malaga, Cal., crates	
Do, Arkansas	

VEGETABLES.

Beans, navy, hand-picked	bchs
Medium	Lettuce, head, home-grown
Celery, Mich., cases	Do, leaf, in cases
Cucumbers, Ill., bu	String beans, new, ½ bu
Cabbage, new, home-grown, crates	Green peas, 1½ bu, telephones
Do, per 100	Do, Minn
Carrots, new, 100 bunches	Do, Burbanks
Onions, 70-lb sacks	Do, home-grown, early
Do, bris, Ill	Ohio, 1½ bu
Sweet corn, 6@8 doz	Tomatoes, Ill., 4-bskt cases
Turnips, new, bu	Do, Miss
Beets, new, doz	Do, home-grown, bu

The following table exhibits the receipts and shipments of country produce for the last forty-eight hours, as compared with the same time last year:

Articles.	Receipts 1901.	Receipts 1900.	Shipments 1901.	Shipments 1900.
Apples, brls	488	894	260	416
Beans, bu	4,100	.....	174	616
B. corn, lbs	90,000	.....	56,350	2,450
Butter, lbs	1,019,661	1,019,536	915,964	805,683
Cheese, lbs	504,411	431,981	175,200	181,365
D. fruits, lbs	61,000	40,000	15,700	15,780
Eggs, pkgs	5,783	3,542	3,542	3,554
Hay, tons	720	771	52	.....
Hides, lbs	245,400	324,070	341,250	317,128
Potatoes, bu	12,045	8,040	150	142
Poultry, lbs	43,820	35,072	9,750	25,612
Poultry, c'ps	240	240	.....	90
Wool, lbs	627,667	581,400	669,920	272,394

DAY IN THE CUSTOM-HOUSE.

Receipts for Duties on Imported Goods from Bonded Warehouses or Direct.

Receipts for duties yesterday at the Chicago Custom-House on imported goods taken from bonded warehouses or received direct amounted to $36,942.65. The principal firms paid as follows:

Marshall Field & Co.	$9,021
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.	2,474
Elgin National Watch company	1,936
Mandel Bros.	1,802
Franklin MacVeagh	784
Best & Russell	1,050
Chicago Mercantile company	912
Armour & Co.	1,039
Theodore Ascher	957
Edson, Keith & Co.	694
J. S. Nicholas	1,525

Among the entries were: Grommes & Ulrich, 3 cases cigars, 175 cases mineral water; M. J. Neahr & Co., 38 bales burlap; J. N. Knox, 1 case chinaware; Swift & Co., 30 cases provisions; Louis Meyercord & Co., 13 cases paper; L. Manasse, 1 case scientific instruments; Marshall Field & Co., 5 cases silks and 22 cases toys; J. V. Farwell & Co., 3 rolls matting; Burley & Tyrrell, 110 cases earthenware, 33 cases chinaware; Lyon Bros., 1 case chinaware; A. Carrier & Sons, 245 bags maple sugar; Carter, Macy, 2,202 cases tea; J. Weinhofer, 1 case bedding; Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., 3 cases dolls; Franklin MacVeagh & Co., 34 cases olives; Carroll & De Romer, 2 cases manufactured woolens; United States Feather company, 18 packages kopock; L. A. Hamlin, 1 case chinaware; C. L. Benson, 2 cases manufactured bark; Mandel Bros., 17 cases stationery; Best & Russell, 22,000 cases cigars; Wilson Bros., 3 cases hosiery; Pitkin & Brooks, 18 cases earthenware; Elgin National Watch company, 1 case watch jewels; Chapin & Gore, 140 cases mineral water; F. T. Simmons & Co., 1 case gloves; Guin Tuck Lung & Co., 18 cases chinaware; Hunt & Co., 1,575 packages tea; G. Misutany & Co., 50 packages tea; Theodore Ascher, 5 cases millinery; Railroad Supply company, 2 cases machinery; William Freck & Co., 1 case metal ware; Truax, Greene & Co., 1 case metal ware; Lillenfeld Bros., 3 cases cigars; W. H. Schimpferman & Co., 1 case cigars; E. H. Hunt, 30 cases dried flowers; Chicago Bronze Manufacturing company, 4 cases bronze powder; Flanigan & Biedenweg Co., 134 cases glass; Hefter & Weyl, 12 cases earthenware; Atwood & Steele, 117 hogsheads olives; Chicago Mercantile company, 7 cases ornaments; George Wendt, 5 packages effects; Frisch & Co., 590 cases Gevolsteine water; R. Burnett & Co., 202 bags maple sugar; Brunswick-Balke-Collender company, 5 cases plate-glass; Zion Lace Industries, 1 case laces; Reid, Murdoch & Co., 100 barrels currants; A. B. Frebler & Sons, 1 case silk; Edson Keith & Co., 8 cases artificial flowers; Stanton & Co., 1 case whisky; Born & Co., 1 case chinaware; Leopold & Ferron company, 100 barrels currants.

William R. Manierre withdrew 8,939 pounds of tea, entered for warehouse. 19,583 pounds, and shipped in bond 22,624 pounds. Wakem & McLaughlin withdrew 14 cases cigars, 10 cases champagne, 300 cases gin, 50 cases whisky, 10,000 pounds maple sugar, and 13,000 pounds tea, and entered for warehouse 146,000 pounds tea. Sheldon & Co. withdrew 22,000 pounds tea and 3,500 pounds tobacco.

REPORT ON CROPS OF ILLINOIS.

Wheat Yield Breaks All State Records, but Corn Is Damaged More than Half.

Springfield Ill., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—The following is a summary of the reports of crop correspondents in Illinois to the Illinois Department of Agricultural, under date of Aug. 1, of the principal crops produced in the State:

Wheat—While the area of wheat harvested this season, 1,870,000 acres, is not much larger than usual, the average yield per acre of seventeen bushels has brought the total yield to 31,100,000 bushels, the largest wheat crop produced in Illinois since 1894, a crop which has been exceeded but twice in the last ten years. Although the ruling price, 62 cents per bushel, is not so good as during the last two years, the value of the entire crop at this price would be $19,230,000, the best returns from this crop since 1892.

Corn—With the largest area planted to corn since 1878—8,088,000 acres—the Aug. 1 condition of this crop is the most disheartening ever known in the crop reporting history of the State. Although the planting season was a little late, other conditions were so encouraging at the date of the last report, June 29, that it was believed an average crop would be produced.

IN FOREIGN PRODUCE MARKETS.

Current and Closing Quotations on Grain, Provisions, and Cotton at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 12.—Grain—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red Western winter, 5s 10d; No. 1 red Northern spring, 5s 10d. Futures quiet; September, 5s 9¼d; December, 5s 10¾d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed new, 4s 1d; do old, no stock. Futures quiet; September, 4s 11¼d; October, 4s 11¾d; November, 5s ¾d.

Provisions—Pork—Prime mess Western firm, 68s 9d. Lard—American refined steady, 44s; prime Western quiet, 44s. Hams—Short cut quiet, 52s 6d. Bacon—Long clear middles, light, steady, 46s 6d. Shoulders—Square quiet, 37s. Turpentine—Spirits steady, 27s.

Cotton—Spot, moderate business; prices higher; American middling fair, 4 31-32d; good middling, 4 23-32d; middling, 4 7-16d; low middling, 4 7-32d; good ordinary, 3 31-32d; ordinary, 3 23-32d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,600 American. Receipts, 2,100 bales, all American. Futures opened quiet and closed steady.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Clayton Walton, Elisa Graves ..... 31 ..... $ 5
Matije Sutic, Maria Rumkovic 21 5
Axel Anderson, Mary Amundson 21 5
Joseph Wenner, Katie Hermes 21 5
John Casarico, Antonia Kanera 21 5
Peter Hein, Anna Denker 21 5
Eddie Werke, Lillie Hagens 21 5
James Murphy, Mary J. Patterson 21 5
Bruce L. Beall, Ellen Wadsworth 21 5

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FILED FOR RECORD Monday, Aug. 12, 1901:

Robey-st., 200 s of Wilson-av., e f, 50x125, July 8 [A. F. Carlson to Clara K. Anderson]. Incumbrance $5,000 ..... $ 6,000
N. 42d-ct., 200 e of Cottage Grove-av., s f, 50x144, July 25 [A. Maher to C. Heerbold] 1,000
N. Francisco-av., 78 n of W. Dunning-st., e f, 25x125, Aug. 8 [A. E. Mauck to Orpha A. Tate] 4,000
N. 43d-ct., 200 e of Dickens-av., s f, 50x125, July 23 [W. W. Doring to F. A. Prikeel] 1,500
Wendell-st., 149 e of N. Franklin, s f, 24x125, Aug. 10 [Mary Heard to Chas. M. Culver]; incumbrance $7,500 12,000
W. Jackson-blvd., 66 e of Rockwell-st., s f, 22x132, Aug. 10 [J. G. Graves to Wm. W. Eastwood] 3,000
S. Robey-st., 198.5 e of Seeley-blvd., s f, 25x125, July 15 [Interstate B. and L. association to Johanna Wendelschafer] 1,000
W. 51st-st., s w cor Ct., s f, 115x125, and other property, Nov. 15, 1899 [A. Smith to M. Dunlop] 9,000
2643 Indiana-av., 30x124, July 22 [Jane Tobin to Margt. B. Aylesworth]; incumbrance $3,000 6,500
W. 45th-st., 228 w of Butler, s f, 25x100, July 25 [S. M. Watkins to James A. Watkins] 2,861
Parnell-av., 100 s of 74th-st., w f, 50x125, Aug. 10 [M. E. Goodyear to Abbie E. Read] 4,000
103d-st., 209 w of State, s f, 52x124, Aug. 7 [N. Van Oosten to K. Korlenhoeven] 1,100
W. Superior-st., 94 e of Western-av., n f, 48x152, Aug. 8 [J. Olbrich to David M. Leavitt] 2,000
Gibbs-st., 80 s of Division-st., e f, 25x100, 122, Aug. 10 [M. Canday to Austin Clement] 3,000
De Kalb-st., 264 s of Flournoy, s w f, 24 to alley, Aug. 7 [Emma Shaw et al. to Hugh H. Harney] 2,000
Hayes-av., 247.6 s of Ballou, e f, 24.6x125, Aug. 5 [C. C. Nelson to E. H. Bliss] 2,400
Kenmore-av., 125 s of Rosemont, e f, 50x150, March 21 [John L. Cochran to Clinton De Young] 2,000
Green-st., s w cor 106th, s f, 48x132, and other property, July 10 [E. Histon to John A. Wadnams] 4,000
N. Hamlin-av., s e cor Rumbold, w f, 99 x0, and other property, July 18 [S. E. Gross and wife to F. J. Sanford] 2,500
N. Hermitage-av., 50 n of Waveland-av., e f, 24x124, July 27 [J. Rood Jr. to Dora Bitter] 1,100
W. Chicago-av., 58 n of N. Trumbull-av., s f, 24x125, Aug. 8 [W. H. Davis to Walter L. Dodge] 1,000
Ogden-pl., 300 s of Randolph-st., 50x110, w f, Thirty-fifth Ward, incumbrance of $3,800, June 17 [W. S. Boreman to Margaret J. Simpson] 5,000
25th-st., 117 w of Cottage Grove-av., s f, 50x100, incumbrance $2,000 [Chas. Mansfield to Mary Ann Brocklin] 2,000
25th-st., 250 w of Cottage Grove-av., s f, 50x100, March 14 [W. H. Hopkins to Wm. Geary] 15,000
Lake-av., s e cor Oakenwald, e f, 50x125, incumbrance $5,000 [Rhoda M. Comin to Helen E. Carson] 12,000
Oakley-av., 191.8 s of Roscoe-st., e f, 25x125, and other property, Aug. 6 [D. G. Heinemann to Christian Holz] 1,000
Wabash-av., 200 s of Congress, e f, 50x189, incumbrance of $1,000, Aug. 7 [C. C. O. Sparks to A. W. Quisenan] 1,000
N. 42d-ct., 248 s of Cermak-rd., s f, 50x124, April 4 [O. M. Chatman to R. M. Sparks] 2,000
Weston-st., 75 s of Dak, e f, 25x125, and other property, Aug. 10 [F. Lassing to Michael A. Quinn] 4,000
Colorado-av., 125 e of Independence-blvd., s f, 25x125, incumbrance of $1,000, Aug. 7 [A. Lamkey to M. S. Osman] 1,000
Wendell-st., 125 n of Division, e f, 25x125, Aug. 9 [Rose Pink et al. to Mary

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN AS assistant, cashier, credit man, or manager; thoroughly posted on up-to-date methods and capable of filling any position of trust; has had years of experience; want position with large concern; unquestioned references and guarantee as to ability and amount furnished. Address Y 190, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, AS bookkeeper, cashier, or general office work; thoroughly posted on up-to-date methods, and capable of filling any position of trust with large concern; unquestioned references and bond furnished if desired. Address A 518, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS STOCKKEEPER, shipping clerk, or warehouse checker; have lived with city 7 years; am married. Address A 546, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. ALL-ROUND OFfice man; organizer and handler of agents; speaks German; will travel. Address A 548, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS ASSISTANT BOOKkeeper, time or stock keeper; A1 references. Address A 547, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED — YOUNG MAN, OFfice position; reliable; good penman. Address Erbome, Tribune office.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AS traveling salesman, to start with strictness and commission; A1 house; no fakers or agencies need apply. Address A 501, Tribune office.

Boys.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG AMERICAN, age 15, in office; faithful and industrious; 3 years' experience; $3. Address A 520, Tribune office.

Trades.

SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG PRINTER and evlinder press feeder and compositor; good habits; wish steady work if possible; 6 years' experience; 22 years old. Address G. L. B., 209 E. Monroe st., Chicago.

SITUATION WANTED — GERMAN CHEMIST offers his services for analytical work. G. TEICHGRAEBER, 548 W. Chicago-av.

SITUATION WANTED — AFTER SATURDAY, by engineer; age 26; 6 years' experience. J. WATERMAN, 835 Wayne-av.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SUPERINTENDENT machine shop, thoroughly competent; tools, dies, sheet metal specialties. C. O. Howard, Riverside.

SITUATION WANTED—BY FIRST-CLASS plate roller; sober and reliable. A 524, Tribune.

House Servants.

SITUATION WANTED — BY THOROUGHLY competent English butler; first-class silver man; best references. Address X 104, Tribune office.

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SITUATIONS WANTED — FOR MEN, ALL lines. Stroup's Bureau, 100 Clark. Tel. Cen. 1395.

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SITUATION WANTED—CRACKAJACK STEnographer; age 22; highest references; 5 years with one concern. If you want a thoroughly experienced, smart, energetic stenographer, one who knows what I want to talk to you; $15 weekly; now employed; perfectly reliable. Y 345, Tribune office.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXP. TEACHER IN classical languages and mathematics, speaking German and French; graduated from Copenhagen University; best of references. Address Y 502, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY A STEADY, SOber young man as office messenger; have had 2 years' experience and have A1 reference; salary small. Address A 538, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A SOBER, HUSTling young man with good habits and reliable; 3 years at Wabash, Michigan, and Wabash-av. Address A 539, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN AS cashier or steward in hotel or restaurant. Address A 506, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED — BRIGHT, HONEST young man, to learn bartending. W 106, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A SINGLE MAN; can talk German and French. A 507, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED young lady as assistant in office; salary, $7. Address A 522, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG girl; references exchanged. 1130 Greenleaf-st., Evanston.

Domestics.

SITUATION WANTED—CAPABLE YOUNG LAdy desires light housework or second work. 1 MELHEIM, 841 W. Division-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG SWEDISH Lutheran American family, $33 S. Hoyne-av., rear house.

SITUATION WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COLored woman would like housework or cooking. 3013-st. ELLA.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL, first general housework; 2 years' reference. 417 W. 54th-st.

SITUATION WANTED — BY FIRST-CLASS meat and pastry cook. 1704 Wabash-av., Flat 1.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COOK AND LAUNdress; suburbs preferred. 3136 Forest-av.

SITUATION WANTED—A GIRL; HOUSEWORK; 2 or 3 in family. 54 La Salle-st.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COOK AND GENeral housework; 2 children. 87 Ogden-pl.

SITUATION WANTED—BY GOOD GIRL; GENeral housework. 3010 Adler-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COMPETENT GIRL, cook or general. 31 S. 47th-st.

SITUATION WANTED—GERMAN GIRL FOR light housework. 543 E. 43d-st.

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SITUATION WANTED — NEAT YOUNG LADY stenog. experienced; accurate; $6. Address A 548, Tribune office.

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Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—PARTNER; A1 MANUFACTURER of staple merchandise which has an established demand; must be thoroughly familiar with line; will furnish all necessary capital and give right man interest in business and make it an object for him; state line and experience; best references required. Address A 526, Tribune office.

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH $2,000 TO IN-vest in established trade; big profits. Address B C 220, Tribune office.

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OFFICE MAN—GOOD, WHO HAS HAD EXperience in patent medicine business; must have ability to write "ads" and booklets and be able to take charge of correspondence; a good opening for a man with the proper ability; state age, experience had, and salary wanted. Address N H 103, Tribune office.

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TRAVELING SALESMAN—AT ONCE, FOR general store trade; permanent position for good man; no other need apply; give references. Box 9, Detroit, Mich.

Boys.

BOY—BRIGHT, TO RUN ERRANDS AND MAKE himself generally useful. Apply between 10 and 11 a. m., The Emporium, 152 State-st.

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Trades.

BOILERMAKERS—FOR ROUNDHOUSE WORK out of city; must be competent. Apply Parlor O, Tremont House.

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FOREMAN—FOR 3 3-FLAT BUILDINGS; WILL give rent of 4-ROOM FLAT AND SALARY. APPLY AT ONCE TO E. W. ZANDER & CO., 155 LA SALLE, (E. N. C.)

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WE STILL HAVE ROOM FOR A FEW MORE dressed, energetic house-to-house canvassers, capable of presenting our savings bank proposition to the best people in Chicago and suburbs; our men make $3 to $6 per day.

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PERSONAL.

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THOUSANDS OF SALARIED PEOPLE and those in moderate circumstances do their trading with us on "Special Credit" at cash prices. You can select from our elegant new stocks everything worn by men, women, and children; assist in furnishing a home complete, from "parlor to kitchen." Beautifully decorated chinaware given away with all purchases amounting to $5 or over. Established in 1886. E. SHOWERS & CO., 24 and 3d floors. 217-219 State-st.

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LEGAL NOTICES AND PROPOSALS.

REPUBLIC IRON AND STEEL COMPANY—Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Republic Iron and Steel company will be held at its office, No. 83 Montgomery-st., Jersey City, New Jersey, on Wednesday, the eleventh day of September, 1901, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books, both common and preferred, will be closed at the close of business on Saturday, Aug. 17, 1901, and reopened at 10 o'clock a. m. on Thursday, Sept. 12, 1901.

Dated Chicago, Aug. 5, 1901.

WILLIAM BARRET RIDGLEY, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership existing between Charles E. Anderson and David A. Levy, under the firm name of Anderson & Levy, merchant tailors, at 217 Dearborn-st., Chicago, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent of the parties hereto, Charles E. Anderson and S. P. Swanson succeeding to the business of said firm under the firm name of Anderson & Swanson. Said firm is authorized to settle all debts due to and by the said firm.

Aug. 12, 1901. CHAS. E. ANDERSON. DAVID A. LEVY.

MY WIFE, FRANCES KENDLER BAUERS, having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

MIKE BAUERS.

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FOR SALE—FINE LOCOMOBILE, $400; WINton, $800. BANKER, 194 E. 35th-st.

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EVERYTHING IN TALKING MACHINES; wholesale and retail. JAS. J. LYONS, 70 5th-av.

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Trades.

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MAN AND WIFE—IN PRIVATE FAMILY; ONE as cook and the other for housework. Address 595 Drukee-av., Kenosha, Wis.

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Coachmen, Teamsters, Etc.

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PERMANENT POSITION FOR LIFE; COMpensation $25 to $75 per week; the Policy Holders' National Union, an Illinois corporation, with $250,000 capital; organized January, 1899, desires local representatives in every city and town in the U. S.; our business, new and non-competitive and a positive necessity to every household; requires active, intelligent handling of investment, but first-class references required. Address Superintendent of Agents, 521-524 Manhattan Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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$50 MONTHLY AND EXPENSES GUARANTEED to reliable agents at home or traveling handling novelty photo buttons and jewelry. Ludwick Co., Cincinnati, O.

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Collectors, country	12	15
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Shipping clerks	8	15
Bill clerks	$8	10

LARGEST BUREAU IN CITY.

Managers	$20	$35
Floorwalkers	12	15
Pay-roll clerks	10	15
Rapid calculators	12	15
Voucher clerks	12	15
Car record clerks	12	15

ESTABLISHED FOR YEARS.

Law office clerks	$12	$15
Gen. office work	10	12
Asst. ship. clerks	10	12
Night watchmen	12	15
Office boys	5	8
Stockkeepers	10	15
Office clerks	$9	10
Bookkeepers	10	12
Credit men		20
Accountants		25
Buyers		35
Private secretaries	10	12

THOROUGHLY RELIABLE.

Stenographers	$12	$15
Telegraphers	45	60
R. R. positions	40	60
Street car lines	35	50
Traveling salesmen	60	90
Dry goods salesmen	10	12
City salesmen	12	15
Day watchmen	10	12

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MANAGER—FOR SHIPPING DEPT. $25.00
Stenographer, Rem., R. R. exp. 16.00
Stenographer, Densmore, exp. in newspaper work 12.00
Stenographer; Rem. or $. P. 15.00
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South Side.

3240 GROVELAND-AV.—ROOM, HANDSOMELY furnished; gentlemen preferred; table excellent; refs.

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North Side.

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845 DEARBORN-AV.—FURNISHED SINGLE and double rooms; board; steam heat.

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"The Abbie," a private summer home where 4 or 5 families can be accommodated with board and rooms. Address "The Abbie," Lake Harbor, Mich. Telegraphic address, "The Abbie," Muskegon, Mich.

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South Side.

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TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, HOT AND cold water, bath; gentlemen; 3240 Lake-av. 1st floor front.

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West Side.

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North Side.

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South Side.

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WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED—TO RENT—HOUSE, 6 TO 8 RMS, A1 condition, in good North Side, on line Chicago and Northwestern R. R. between Chicago and Lincoln; near station and near school; state price and particulars. Address A 562, Tribune.

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South Side.

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WASHINGTON BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.

Farmers of the United States who have large crops of wheat undoubtedly have a prosperous season before them, as the partial failure of the corn crop will make a larger demand for wheat, and, in addition to this, France, which has not imported any wheat for three years, will require nearly 60,000,000 bushels because of the shortage in its wheat crop.

Farmers Sure of Big Money for Their Wheat.

Three-fourths of the French wheat crop has been harvested at a much earlier period than usual, and, according to an official report from Consul General Skinner at Marseilles, there is no longer any doubt that there will be a serious shortage, and that France will become again an importing nation.

"The expectation of those who have given the matter study," reports the Consul General at Marseilles, "based upon previous experience, is that France will be obliged to look abroad during the coming year for perhaps 56,000,000 bushels, including the hard wheat not produced in the United States and usually imported from Russia and Algeria.

"Of the total importations probably 32,000,000 bushels will be entered through the port at Marseilles, of which one-third will consist of hard macaroni wheat, which cannot be supplied by the United States. This leaves about 20,000,000 bushels of soft wheat required for this port, the most of which will certainly be forwarded from the United States if prices so adjust themselves that Russian wheats are not lower.

"Already one cargo of American wheat of the new crop is on its way to this port, and has been sold in small lots for the purpose of disseminating practical information as rapidly as possible concerning the quality of the new crop upon which they probably will depend to an important extent.

"The importers hope the Americans will not force prices to a point which will abnormally strengthen the competition from Russia and anticipate that the business of the year will compare with that of 1898, when the French crop was short and large quantities came in from the United States."

An estimate of crop conditions in France has been prepared by A. Couteaux, one of the most competent authorities in the country. He says: "The government supplied an estimate of the wheat situation on May 10, based upon reports from the professors of agriculture, and, according to this report, gathered from each department, a harvest of 357,588,000 bushels was predicted.

France Will Have to Import Much Grain.

"The Minister of Agriculture has now published a second report upon the situation, dated July 1. The number of points accorded in this report to each department has so diminished that, according to the millers' organ, the total harvest will not exceed 306,504,000 bushels.

"All this simply confirms my former unpleasant convictions, and authorizes me more than ever to believe that we ought not to make our measure of the crop on that of 1900, but rather on that of 1897, which gave 340,624,000 bushels. This figure may be increased by 14,000,000 or even 28,000,000 bushels, since quite a portion of the harvest is still uncut.

"However it may be, there can be no doubt today to any man who does not voluntarily close his eyes that the year will see a serious deficit, and we shall be obliged to import for our use a large quantity. What will this be? Fifteen millions? Twenty millions? Who knows? Under these circumstances it is not the French market that will decide the price of wheat, but the American market.

"It is true that the United States has this year an extraordinary harvest, greater than ever before obtained—that is, unless the drought persists. It will not be the first time that our worst harvests have been counterbalanced by abundant harvests in the United States. This phenomenon reproduces itself with such regularity as to seem to be the result of a natural law."

An official report received today at the State department gives the details of the latest revolt in Argentine. When the report left Buenos Ayres the city was under martial law, several persons had been killed and a number wounded. The trouble started over the antagonism of the people to the "unification" bill. They gathered in the streets of Buenos Ayres and flocked to the city from the provinces.

Martial Law in Buenos Ayres Follows Revolt.

The Argentina Senate and Chamber of Deputies were in session at the time. Owing to the serious condition of affairs these bodies passed an act proclaiming the city in a state of siege for six months. Policemen who had been armed with machetes were given revolvers, and mounted police were placed on guard at every corner.

Toward the night of July 5 the trouble began to increase, and the firemen of the city were armed with rifles to insure protection. A crowd gathered upon the portico of the courthouse and was charged by a company of police. Meantime shots were heard in the plaza, and at the doors of the cathedral one man was killed and four wounded.

Minister Berdue has resigned, and by orders from the Acting Minister of War a regiment of cavalry was ordered from Villa Mercedes by special train to Buenos Ayres, and the Fifth Infantry was ordered from Rio. It was said when the report was written that the area of disturbance was increasing and extending to Callao. Telegrams were under censor, and it was said that the British gunboat Bastisk had been ordered from Montevideo to protect British subjects.

Rear Admiral Crowninshield has laid an adroit plan to carry into effect his scheme for building barracks at navy yards. It will require an immense sum of money to carry out this pet idea of Crowninshield, and will take at least $500,000 to construct suitable edifices at the navy yards where Crowninshield thinks there should be barracks and dormitories for recruits.

Crowninshield's Plan for Naval Barracks May Win

These barracks are intended to take the place of receiving ships.

The first serious block which Crowninshield has experienced is found in the report of a board of officers which met at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and which found that the Vermont, the old receiving ship, could be readily continued in service, and that it would not be necessary to convert the coffin cruiser Columbia into the subordinate purpose of a receiving ship.

The board finds that it will take at least $30,000 to put the Columbia in condition for service, and that under the most crowded conditions not more than 400 men can be accommodated on board the vessel.

It would take nearly three ships of the size of the Columbia to accommodate as many men as were on board the Vermont, which, with its wide and spacious decks, had ample berthing facilities for more than 1,000 recruits.

Rear Admiral Bowles, chief constructor, is in favor of continuing the Vermont on the service, and in this position he is joined by Rear Admiral Melville, head of the steam engineering bureau. The naval surgeons are against continuing the Vermont in this work, and they say the vessel cannot be properly fumigated, although the board which looked into the matter has recommended that the men be quartered on the upper deck while the fumigating process is carried on below.

The greatest trouble with receiving ships is that they are never put out of commission, and that the opportunity is never afforded of docking and cleaning them. The utilization of new and costly vessels of war for receiving ships is recognized as a part of a plan to force the Navy department into favoring Crowninshield's scheme of building barracks, which would be cheaper, of course, than utilizing three vessels of the Columbia class at the Brooklyn Navy yard for receiving ship purposes.

Total exports of breadstuffs from the United States in the month of July last were about 30 per cent greater than in the same month of last year and for the first seven months of the current fiscal year, they were about 22 per cent greater than in the corresponding months of 1900. According to the Treasury statistics on the subject, the breadstuffs are barley, corn, cornmeal, oats, oatmeal, rye, wheat, and wheat flour.

Shipments of Breadstuffs Show Increase.

The gain in July exports of this class was most notable at New York, Superior, and at Puget Sound, there being a decided falling off at Norfolk and Portsmouth, which, in late years have claimed to be the coming rivals of New York in foreign trade.

There was a sharp decline in foreign shipments from San Francisco, due in part to the sharp rivalry of Seattle and Tacoma. The total exports of breadstuffs from New York in July was $6,062,280, as against $4,066,058 in the same month of last year; and from Puget Sound $689,148, as gainst $366,640. The July shipments from all the ports were $24,168,076, as against $15,695,175 last year, and in the last seven months $163,907,596, as against $133,655,362 in the same period of 1900.

SCHLEY TRIAL NOT ABANDONED.

Report That Sampson's Illness Will Interfere with the Court of Inquiry Is Denied.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—[Special.]—Many stories in connection with the Schley court of inquiry, for which there are no foundation, are being telegraphed from Washington. Among the latest of this character is one to the effect that the Schley court of inquiry will be abandoned, owing to the illness of Rear Admiral Sampson, it being claimed that nothing could be done without his testimony.

It has been known for some months, and repeated reference has been made to it in THE TRIBUNE, that Sampson is in a state of almost utter collapse, both mentally and physically. There has been some question for weeks as to whether Admiral Sampson would be able to appear before the court of inquiry and give his testimony. While nothing on this point has been settled definitely, there has been considerable discussion about having Sampson make a deposition to be read before the court.

A short time ago Captain Chadwick, who commanded the New York during the Cuban war, had a conference with Admiral Sampson, at which it developed that the latter experienced great difficulty in recalling dates and incidents in connection with facts which led up to the Schley-Sampson controversy. Captain Chadwick advised Secretary Long of the Admiral's condition, and it is more than likely the testimony of Sampson will be read before the court if the Admiral's health will permit of his making a deposition. If he is unable to make a statement under oath or to appear before the court the inquiry will not be abandoned.

Of course it is well known that the conduct of Rear Admiral Schley, and not that of Admiral Sampson, is under direct investigation, and the inability of one witness to appear, no matter how important his testimony, will not cause an abandonment of the investigation.

The Navy department has selected Rear Admiral Mortimer L. Johnson, now in command at the Port Royal naval station, to succeed Admiral Sampson in command of the Boston navy yard when the latter officer shall retire. The formal appointment has not been made, as it is not known how soon Admiral Sampson may wish to be relieved.

PHILLIPS REPORT READY; WILL BE GIVEN OUT TODAY.

Full Statement of the Noted May Pool Will Be Presented to the Board of Trade Directors.

The complete statement in detail of all transactions of the now famous May corn deal of George H. Phillips, in answer to a complaint preferred by George L. Inman of Champaign, Ill., will be presented to the Board of Directors of the Chicago Board of Trade at this afternoon's meeting. The statement is expected to give the name of every person who went into what was called a "blind pool," to share alike in all profits that might accrue or losses that might be sustained. It is understood the statement shows that 14,325,000 bushels of corn were traded in during the deal by 274 persons. The net profit at the close was about eight cents a bushel on the average, or $1,146,000. These figures were confirmed by a member of the Phillips company late yesterday afternoon. There is widespread interest as to just what the statement will show, the extent of the trading, and how the pool was managed.

"The May corn deal statement is complete," said Mr. Phillips yesterday afternoon, "and I went to the office of Secretary Stone of the Board of Trade just now to deliver it to him, but found that he had gone home for the day. The statement will not be given out to the public until after it has been presented to the directors. Those directly interested will have no difficulty in seeing the statement in Secretary Stone's office.

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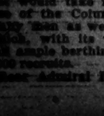

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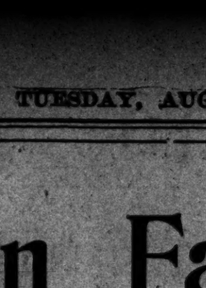

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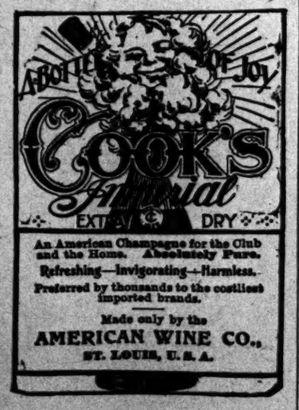

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